### A CATALOGUE

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## ADVANCED COLLECTORS

-OF--

POSTAGE STAMPS,

STAMPED ENVELOPES

AND WRAPPERS.

COMPILED FROM THE MOST RECENT AUTHORITIES
AND INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH

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#### MODENA (Duchy).

Currency: 100 CENTESIMI-1 LIRA-\$0.19 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

Sept. 4th, 1852.

Typographed in black on various papers. Only one die, the denomination of value being set up separately for each value. Average size 181/2 x211/2 mm.

I. Colored wove paper.



- 5c black, green paper 5c black, olive green paper 10c black, rose paper 2 15c black, vellow paper
  15c black, orange paper
  25c black, buff paper
  40c black, deep blue paper 40c black, light blue paper Varieties: a. Errors in spelling of the denomination of value.
- Io 5 CENL black, green paper 5 ENT black, green paper 5 CNET black, green paper 5 CCNT black, green paper ΙI 12 13 CENT black, green paper 5 CANT black, green paper 15 16

5 EENT black, green paper

- 10 CENE black, rose paper 10 CNET black, rose paper 17 18 10 CE6T black, rose paper 10 CEZT black, rose paper 19
- 20 21 22
- 23 24
- IO CEZT black, rose paper
  ENT
  IO C black, rose paper
  IO EENT black, rose paper
  IO CENT black, rose paper (I inverted)
  IS CENT black, yellow paper
  IS CINT black, yellow paper
  CENT black, yellow paper
  IS CETN black, yellow paper
  IS CETN black, yellow paper
  IS CENT black, yellow paper
  IS CENT black, buff paper
  I CENT black, buff paper 27 20
- 30 2 CENT black, buff paper CENI black, buff paper 25 CE T black, buff paper 40 CNET black, blue paper 32 33 34
- 40 CCNT black, blue paper 40 CENE black, blue paper 40 CEOT black, blue paper 37 38
- 49 CENT black, blue paper
- NEWSPAPER TAX STAMPS.\*

April 1st, 1853. Typographed in black on colored wove

paper. I. Same type as regular issues of same date.

74 9c black, violet paper This stamp was never put into actual

- 40 4c CENT black, blue paper 41 4o CEN.T black, blue paper b. Without punctuation after CENT.
- 15c black, yellow paper
  II. White wove paper, watermarked "A" (the watermark is the trade mark of the manufacturer of the paper "Amici.)"
- 11 black

#### Issued by the Provisional Government.

Oct. 15th, 1859.

Typographed on white wove paper, only one die, the denomination of value being set up separately for each value. Size 19½x 22mm.



- 5c dark green 5c green
- 46 5c gray green
- 15c gray 15c brown
- 48
- 20c lilac
- 20c brown violet 20c blue violet
- 52 40c carmine
- 40c rose
- 54 8oc orange
- 55 80c d Varieties: 80c deep orange
- a, Error in the spelling of the denomination of value.
- 5 CENL green 5 CENT brown 56
- 57 58 15 CEST brown
- 14 CENT brown 59 60
- 15 CENI brown 20 CENI lilac 61
- 62 2 CENT lilac
- 63 20 ECNT lilac
- 64 20 CENT lilac 8 CENT orange
- 80 CONT orange
- 80 CREY orange
- 68 o CENT orange
- 80 CENI orange
- b. No punctuation after "40".
- 40c carmine
- c. Period before CENT.
- 15c brown
- 40c carmine
- d. Before the C of CENT is an inverted 5.
- 40c carmine
- II. Same type as regular issue with large capital B. G. (Bollo Gazette or newspaper stamps) preceding CEN.
  - 9c black, violet paper
- III. Same type as regular issue but smaller capital B. G. preceding CEN.
- \*These stamps as well as the newspaper tax stamps of Austria, Lombardy Venice and Hungary are not really postage stamps; they were placed on newspapers coming from foreign countries and represented a fiscal tax which was collected by the postal authorities.



76 9c black, violet paper

October 19th, 1857.

Same type as regular issue, typographed in black on colored wove paper
77 10c black, violet paper

Variety: Error in spelling. 78 10 CENI violet Feb. 4th, 1859.

Typographed on yellowish white wove paper. Size 20x20 mm.



10c black

COUNTERFEITS. There is a pretty good counterfeit of the stamps of the first issue, but it is easily told by the ornament at the top of the left label of which an enlarged illustration, of both genuine and counterfeit, is given below.



Genuine.



Counterfeit.

The counterfeits of the second issue can be told by the number of vertical lines in the shield. In the genuine there are five in each of the upper and six in each of the two lower quarters.



This is merely a hand stamp and as such is not entitled to be catalogued.

#### MONACO.

Currency: 100 CENTIMES=1 FRANC=\$0.19 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

July 1st, 1885.

Typographed on white wove paper, portrait of Prince Charles III. Name of designer (D. Dupuis) is at the left and the name of the engraver (E. Mouchon) is at the right at the bottom of the stamp in microscopic characters. Size 188213 mm characters. Size 18x213/4 mm.



Perforated 14x131/2.

5c blue

2 Ioc rose 25c green

Sept. 7th, 1882.

Same type as preceding issue, typographed on white or tinted wove paper.

Perforated 14x131/2.

1º White wove paper. 1c brownish olive

1c greenish olive 2c lilac 6

2º Tinted wove paper.
10c brown on pale yellow
40c blue on rose lilac
75c black on rose lilac 8

9

Ifr black on yellow paper TO

5fr red on green paper. II

Typographed on white or tinted wove paper, portrait of Prince Albert I., name of engraver (E. Mouchon) at bottom. Size 18x22 mm.



1º White wove paper.

Perforated 14x131/2 12 1c greenish olive (April 15th, 1891)

2c violet 13

(September, 1891) 5c blue, 14 15c rose 15 16 25c green 2º Tinted wove paper. 10c brown, yellow paper (April, 1891) 40c deep blue, rose paper (Dec. 1894) 17 18 50c violet, orange paper (Sept. 1891) 19 ENVELOPES April, 1st, 1886. Stamp, of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed in the upper right corner on white wove paper. 1º Size 115x75 mm. 5c blue 15c rose 102 2º Size 147x113 mm. 15c rose 103 3° Size 153x117 mm. 104 15c rose 1890. Same type and impression as preceding issue but change of paper. 1º Grayish white wove paper.

April 1st, 1886,

Stamp, of same type as adhesives of corre-ponding date, typographed in upper right corner on manila paper, each wrapper being separated from the next one by a thin horizontal line in the same color as the stamp.

Size 320x50 mm. 20T Ic olive 2c lilac 202

Size 123x96 mm.

15c rose

2º Green wove paper.

105

Variety: Impression on both sides.

2c lilac 203 July, 1891.

75c brown violet, straw paper (Janu-20

ary, 1894)
21 Ifr black, yellow paper (April, 1891)
22 5fr red, green paper (April, 1891)
It has been stated that these stamps are found without name of engraver or de-igner, but as this is only caused by the wearing of the plates it merely deserves passing notice.

Size 153x117 mm. 106 15c rose

April 15th, 1891.

Stamp of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed in upper right corner on various papers.

1º Buff wove paper. Size 153x117 mm. 107 5c blue 2º Green wove paper.

Size 147x113 mm. 108 15c rose

1892.

Same type and impression as preceding issue but change of paper.

White wove paper.

Size? 109 5c blue

WRAPPERS.

Stamp, same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed at the right on manila paper; the wrappers are separated from each other by a single colored line.

Size 320x50 mm. 204 Ic olive 205 2c lilac

1892.

Same as preceding issue but no separation between wrappers,

Size 320x50 mm. 206 207 2c lilac

COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any counterfeits of the stamps of this Principality.

#### MONTENEGRO,

Currency: 100 NOVITCH=1 FLORIN=\$0.40 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

May, 1874.

Typographed on white wove paper, portrait of Prince Nicholas I. Size 191/2 x23 mm.



Perforated 10, 101/2, and compound.

2n yellow 3n green 2

3n yellow green 5n red 3

5n deep red

7n violet

10n blue

15n yellow bistre 25n slate violet

Same type, impression etc. as preceding

Perforated 111/2, 12, 121/2, 13 and compound.

10 2n yeliow II 3n green 5n red 12 7n mauve 13 14 10n blue 15 15n bistre 16 25n slate violet

1891-92.

Same type, impression etc. as preceding issue.

Perforated 121/2, 13, and compound.

25n violet brown (1892)

July 25th, 1893.

Jubilee issue in commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the introduction of printing in Montenegro.

Same type as regular issues, surcharged horizontally at top and bottom in Russian characters, and vertically at left "1493" and at right "1893."



Perforated 12, 121/2, 13, and compound.

1º Black surcharge 2n yel!ow 20 3n green 21 5n red 22 7n rose 7n violet 23 24 7n lilac 25 10n blue 26 15n bistre 27 25n v Varieties: 25n violet brown a. Surcharge inverted. 28 2n yellow 29 3n green

30	5n red
31	7n rose
32	7n violet
33	7n Jilac
34	ion blue
35	15n bistre
36	25n violet brown
b. Er	eror in date, 1494 instead of 1493.
37	2n yellow
38	3n green
39	5n red
20	Red surcharge.
40	Ion blue
41	25n violet brown
Vari	ety: A pair, of which one is without
surchar	
42	25n violet brown
Febru	ıary, <b>1</b> 89 <b>4.</b>
Same	type as regular issues of 1874-1892,
typogra	phed on white wove paper.
Perfo	rated 101/2 and 11.
43	In lavender
43 44	20n pale red brown
44 45	20n pale red brown 30n lilac brown
44 45 46	20n pale red brown 30n lilac brown 50n ultramarine
44 45 46 47	20n pale red brown 30n lilac brown 50n ultramarine 1 fl deep green
44 45 46	20n pale red brown 30n lilac brown 50n ultramarine

#### UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.

November, 1894.

Typographed on white wove paper, size 171/2 x201/2 mm.



Perforated 101/2, 11 and 111/2. 10n purple 101 ın red 106 20n blue 102 2n green 107 30n green 103 3n orange 108 50n gray 104 5n olive green ENVELOPES. 1892. 7n violet IV. Grayish white laid batonne paper, Stamp, of same type as adhesives of corhighly surfaced. responding date, typographed in upper right 7n violet 210 right corner on various papers. 211 Ion blue I. Pale buff wove paper. July 25th, 1893. 1º Size 143x110 mm. Jubilee Issue. 201 5n pale red Envelopes of preceding issue surcharged in 5n red black in the same way as the adhesives of 2º Size 157x127 mm. the Jubilee issue. 5n pale red 203 I. Thin pale buff wove paper. 5n red 204 1º Size 143x110 mm. II. White laid batonne paper. 5n red Size 157x127 mm. 2º Size 157x127mm. 7n violet 7n pale violet 205 206 213 5n red ion blue II. White laid batonne paper. 207 Ion pale blue 208 3º Size 157x127mm. III. Yellowish white laid batonne paper. 7n violet Size 157x127mm. ion blue 215 WRAPPERS. 2n yellow 30I Stamp, same type as adhesives, typographed 302 3n green at right on various papers. 2º Yellow paper. 2n red Size 339x54mm. 303 1º Blue laid batonne paper. 304 3n black

#### COUNTERFEITS.

We know of no good forgeries of the stamps of this Principality.

#### MONTSERRAT.

Currency: 12 pence=1 shilling, 20 shillings=£1=\$4.87 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

September, 1876.

Adhesive stamps of Antigua surcharged in black "Montserrat" and original name cancelled with black bar.

Watermarked Crown and C. C,



Perforated 14.

Ip red and black

6p green and black

6p yellow green and black

Typographed on white wove paper. Size

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 14.

2½p claret

4p blue

T88T.

Provisional issue.

I penny stamp of 1876 issue cut vertically in two, each half being used as a 1/2 penny stamp.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 14.

1º Left half.

½p red and black (half of 1p) 2° Right half.

1/2 p red and black (half of Ip)

February, 1884.

Same type as preceding issues but change

Watermarked Crown and C. A.

1º Perforated 14.

8 ½p green

Ip carmine and black

2½ p claret (August) IO

4p blue

2º Perforated 12.

Ip carmine and black 12

January, 1885.

Same type, impression etc. as preceding issues but colors changed.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.

2½p blue

4p mauve

#### REVENUES USED FOR POSTAGE.

1884. Typographed on white horizontally laid paper. Size 25 1/2 x29 1/2 mm.



Perforated 121/2. Ip rose 15

#### COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any good forgeries of this Colony. In March, 1883, vertical halves of the then current one penny s'amp surcharged "½d" as per illustration, were seen on envelopes which had pas-ed through the post between Montserrat and Dominica but the authenticity of these has been repudiated by the Postal authorities.



#### MOROCCO.

Currency: 100 CENTIMES I FRANC. 100 CENTIMOS=I PESETA=\$0.19 U. S. Currency.

Mazagan-Marakech.

1893.

Lithographed on white wove paper with gray background. Size 171/2x22mm.



Perforated 10.

- 5c green and gray 2oc blue and gray
- 25c red and gray

- 50c mauve and gray
  - 1p orange and gray

Mazagan-Maroc.

1891.

Lithographed on white paper; the 10c is of the same type as the 25c but surcharged horizontally in black '10 Cents." Size 18x22mm.



Perforated 111/2.

10c on 25c rose, black surcharge

25c rose

Mogador-Maroc.

1892.

Lithographed on white wove paper. Size18x22 mm.



Perforated 111/2.

20c red

Fanger-Fez.

1892.

Lithographed on white or tinted wove paper Size 1934x23½ mm.



Perforated 131/2.

- 1º Tinted wove paper.
- 5c green on greenish paper 1oc black on lavender paper

- 5cc rose on pale rose "
  1fr bronze green on straw paper
  5fr black on lavender paper
  - 2º White wove paper.
- 15c blue

COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any counterfeits of these stamps.



This cut illustrates the so-called stamps purported to have been issued for the mail service between Fez and Sefro; but as such a service was not in existence at the time these labels were foisted on the market, they are undoubtedly humbugs. They are lithographed on white wove paper, perforated 14, and consist of five values as follows:

5c red Ioc violet 20c emerald green 50c orange Ip brown

In order that they may inspire more confidence most of them are found stamped "FEZ-MAROC" and date in double circle.

#### MOZAMBIQUE.

Currency: 1000 REIS-I MILREIS-\$1.00 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1877.

Typographed on ordinary white wove paper varying in thickness, some being on very thin paper. Size 21x24 mm.



1º Perforated 121/2.

5r black 2 ior orange 20r bistre 3 25r rose 4 40r blue 5 5or green 100r lilac 200r orange

30or lilac brown

2º Perforated 13. 5r black 10 ΙI for orange 20r bistre 12 25r rose 13 4or blue 14 5or green 10or lilac 16 200r orange 300r lilac brown 18

July and August, 1891.

Same type as preceding issue, typographed on various papers.

I. Ordinary white wove paper.

1º Perforated 121/2. Ior green (August) 19 40r yellow (July) 50r blue (August) 20 2º Perforated 13. 1or green 22 40r yellow 50r blue 23

24 II. Thick, smooth, white wove paper, ungummed.

Perforated 13. 25 5r\_black

1 or light yellow 2 or light bistre 2 5r light rose 4 or blue 28 29 5or light green 10or pale lilac 20or orange 30 31 32 300r light brown 10r green 40r light yellow 50r light blue 33 34 36

What we have said in regard to the stamps of Angola, Cape Verde, Macao, etc., printed on this paper, will also apply to those of Mozambique.

1885.

Same type as preceding issue, typographed on various papers.

I. Ordinary white wove paper.

1º Perforated 121/2. 20r red 25r violet 2º Perforated 13 20r red 25r violet

II. Thick white wove paper.

Perforated 13. 20r light rose 4I 25r light violet 42

Embossed on thick white paper; portrait Size 21x24 mm. of Don Luis.



1º Perforated 121/2.

10or brown

5r black ior green 44 45 20r red 25r lilac 40r chocolate 5or blue

50 200r slate 300r orange 51 2º Perforated 13.

52 20r red

1894.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 20x23 mm.



#### 1º Perforated II 1/2 x 12.

5r yellow 10r reddish violet

15r chocolate.

20r lavender

5or light blue

8or yellow green

100r brown on buff paper

150r carmine on rose paper 200r dark blue on blue paper

300r dark blue on buff paper

2º Perforated 121/2. .

25r green

75r carmine

#### NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

1893. I. Provisional Issue.

Stamps of the regular issue of 1886 sur-charged "Jornaes" or "Provisorio" at top and new value at bottom.,



Perforated 121/2.

101 21/2r on 40r chocolate, black surcharge 102 5r on 4or chocolate, black surcharge 5r on 4or chocolate, red surcharge 5r on 4or chocolate, blue surcharge 103 104



21/2r on 4or chocolate, black surcharge



5r on 40r chocolate, black surcharge

II. Regular issue.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size



Perforated II1/2 xI2. 107 2½r brown

#### COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any good forgeries of the stamps of this colony.

#### MOZAMBIQUE COMPANY.

Currency: Same as Mozambique.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1892.

Regular issue of adhesives of Mozambique surcharged COMPA DE MOCAMBIQUE horizontally in upper part of stamp.



#### Perforated 121/2.

5r black, carmine surcharge for green, black surcharge 20r red 25r lilac 4or chocolate " 5 6 5or blue 100r brown " 20or slate 30or orange

1894.

Typographed on white wove paper. The figures of the denomination of value printed in black or red. Size 19½x23½ mm.



1º Perforated 12½.

10 5r orange and black

11 10r reddish violet and black

12 15r chocolate and black

50r blue and black 75r carmine and black 14 8or yellow green and black 10or brown and black on buff paper 16 150r yellow brown and black on rose 17 paper 200r dark blue and black on blue paper 300r dark blue and black on buff paper 18 19 500r black and carmine 20 21 1000r lilac and vermilion 2º Perforated 111/2x12. 20r lavender and black 23 25r deep green and black

#### NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

1894.

I. Newspaper stamps of Mozambique, typographed on white wove paper and surcharged MOZAMBIQUE in upper part of stamp. Size 20x22½ mm.



Perforated 11½x12.
101 2½r brown, black surcharge

II. Typographed on white wove paper, the figure representing the denomination of value printed in black. Size 191/2x231/2 mm.



Perforated 12½. 102 2½r olive bistre and black

#### NATAL.

Currency: 12 PENCE = I SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS = £1 = \$4.87 U, S. CURRENCY.
ADHESIVE STAMPS.

June 1st, 1857.
Embossed on colored wove paper.

SATAL

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FHREE

PENCE

NINE

PENCE

ONE

PENCE

ONE

PENCE

ONE

3p pink paper 6p green 9p blue ish buff Variety: Tête Bêche. 3p pink paper Reprints. 1º 1866. 3p pink paper 6p green 9p blue 1sh buff 20 1873. 3p light rose paper 6p yellow green paper 11 9p buff 9p pale yellow 1sh yellow 13 14 15 1sh buff 3º 1893. 16 3p? 17 18

The colors of the reprints are brighter than the originals; copies of these stamps printed on surface colored paper, either perforated or imperforate, are not reprints but revenue stamps.

Embossed on colored wove paper. Size 19x23 mm.



Ip blue paper

20 Ip rose

Ip buff 21

Reprints.

1º 1866.

22 1p pale yellow paper

23 1p rose

24 Îp blue

20 1873

25 1p blue paper

3° 1893.

1p?

What we have said about the reprints of the preceding issue will also apply to those of this issue.

Engraved in taille douce (Portrait of Queen Victoria) on white wove paper. Size 181/2x 22 mm.

Watermarked Star.



1º Imperforate.

1p carmine

28 3p blue

2º Perforated 141/2, 151/2.

ip carmine

30 3p blue

1862-64.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on white wove paper, unwatermarked. Perforated 13, 13½, 14, 14½, 15, 15½.

1p carmine

ip red brown
ip deep red (1864)
3p blue 32

33

3p dull blue 35

3p deep blue 6p gray 36

37

Varieties:

a. Imperforate.

3p blue

b. Imperforate horizontally.

3p blue

c. Imperforate vertically.

3p blue

1864.

Same type, impression, paper etc. as preceding issue.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 121/2, 13.

4I Ip red ip red brown 6p lilac 42

43

6p dark violet

Variety: Imperforate.

ip red 45

April, 1867.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18½x22mm.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 14.

46 Ish green

1869.

Stamps of preceding issue surcharged horizontally POSTAGE in black in 5 different

1st type Postage. 12x13/4 mm.

and type 13x13/4 mm. . 3d type 14x2 mm.

4th type POSTAGE. 12x2 mm.

5th type **POSTAGE** 121/2x21/2 mm.

I. Unwatermarked.

Perforated 13 to 151/2.

3p blue, black surcharge, type 1 47 48 3p blue "
3p blue "
3p blue " " " 2 " 3 49 44 50 3p deep blue, black surcharge, type I
3p deep blue " " 2
3p deep blue " " 4
3p deep blue " " 5 51 52 53 54 Varieties:

a. Surcharge inverted.

3p blue, black surcharge, type 2.

b. Double surcharge, one on top and one

3p blue, black surcharge, type 4 56

II. Watermarked Crown and C. C.

io Perforated 121/2.

Ip red, black surcharge, type I Ip red " 2 Ip red " 3 57 58 Ip red 66 Ip red Ip red 61 Ip deep red " " 1
Ip deep red " " 2
Ip deep red " " 4
Ip deep red " " 5
6p deep violet, black surcharge, type I
6p deep violet " " 2
6p deep violet " " 3
6p deep violet " " 4
6p deep violet " " 5
6p mauve, black surcharge, type I
6p mauve " 5 ip deep red " 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 6p mauve 73 6p mauve 74

Varieties: Surcharge inverted
75 Ip red, black surcharge, type 4

6p deep violet

2º Perforated 14. Ish green, black surcharge, type I 77 78 2 1sh green " .. 3 79 80 1sh green 1sh green 81 Ish green

I penny stamp of the 1864 issue surcharged POSTAGE 153/4 xI 4-5 mm.) vertically at sides, and the "I shilling stamp of 1861 is-

sue surcharged ost

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

1º Perforated 121/2.

Ip red, black surcharge

Ip vermilion, black surcharge 83

2º Perforated 14. 1sh green, black surcharge Ish green, carmine surcharge

1sh green, green surcharge

1872-73.

Type of 3 and 6 penny stamps surcharged POSTAGE vertically at sides in the same way as on the I penny of the preceding issue. Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 121/2.

3p ultramarine, red surcharge 6p mauve, black surcharge (1873) 87 88

July, 1873.

I shilling stamp printed in brown violet and surcharged vertically **POSTAGE** in black.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 14.

Ish brown violet, black surcharge

July, 1874.

I Penny stamps surcharged vertically POSTAGE (13x13/4 mm.) at both sides in

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 12½.
90 Ip red, black surcharge

End of 1874.

Typographed on white wove paper. Sizes: 1, 3, 6p: 181/4 x22 mm.; 5sh: 25x291/2 mm. 1º Watermarked Crown and C. C.





Perforated 14. Ip rose

3p blue 92 6p violet 93

2º Watermarked Crown and C. C. sideways.



Perforated 151/2x15. 5sh claret

I penny stamps surcharged POSTAGE horizontally in black (II ½x13/mm.)

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 121/2.

95 Ip red, black surcharge

Variety: Double surcharge.

Ip red, black surcharge

September, 1876.

I. Regular issue.

I and 6 penny stamps of the 1864 issue and shilling stamps of 1867 issue surcharged **POSTAGE** (14½x2mm.) horizontally in black.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

1º Perforated 121/2.

Ip red, black surcharge

98 6p violet

6p mauve

Variety: Surcharge inverted.

TOO Ip red, black surcharge

IOI 6p violet, black surcharge

2º Perforated 14.

102 Ish green, black surcharge

Variety: Double surcharge.

1sh green, black surcharge

II. Provisional issue.

I penny revenue stamps surcharged POSTAGE (14½x2mm)horizontally in black

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 121/2.

Ip yellow, black surcharge

Variety: IOSTAGE.

Ip yellow, black surcharge

April, 1877.

Provisional issue.

I penny stamps of 1874 issue surcharged with new value in figures and letters. There are two varieties of type of the "½", one

being 5 mm. and the other 31/2 mm.

1 in height. There are also several minor varieties in each sheet consisting in the relative position of the figures and the letters of the surcharge, on some the "½" being above and on others below the "half".

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 14.

106 1/2p on 1p rose, black surcharge (large figure)

1/2 p on 1p rose, black surcharge (small 107 figure)

Variety: Double surcharge "half", one above, the other below "1/2.

½p on 1p rose, black surcharge (large figure)

End of 1877.

Provisional issue.

1p yellow and 6p violet of 1876 issue sur-charged with new value and original value obliterated by three black bars.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 121/2.

½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge

IIO Ip on 6p violet

Ip on 6p mauve

Varieties:

a. Surcharge inverted.

1/2p on 1p yellow, black surcharge

b. Double surcharge.

½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge
c. Pair, one without surcharge,
½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge

d. PO TAGE.

1/2 p on 1 p yellow, black surcharge 115

e. IOSTAGE.

½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge 1p on 6p violet " 116

117 f. OSTAGE.

18 ½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge g. Original value obliterated by two bars. 118 .

½p on 1p yellow, black surcharge 1p on 6p violet, black surcharge

h. Original value obliterated by single bar. 1/2p on 1p yellow, black surcharge

i. POSTAGE omitted. 121a Ip on 6p violet, black surcharge

April, 1878.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size

18½x22 mm. Watermarked Crown and C. C.



1º Perforated 14.

122 4p brown

2º Persorated 121/2.

4p brown

End of 1878.

Same type, impression etc. as issue of

1874. Watermarked Crown and C. C. sideways.

Perforated 14.

5sh claret 124

5sh rose 125

April, 1879.

Provisional issue.

Type of 6 penny stamps of 1861 issue printed in rose, surcharged with new value and original value obliterated with three black lines.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.

Perforated 121/2.

126 Ip on 6p rose, black surcharge

Varieties:

a. Surcharge inverted.

1p on 6p rose, black surcharge

b. Double surcharge.

Ip on 6p rose, black surcharge c. Double surcharge, one of which is inverted.

Ip on 6p rose, black surcharge 120

d. IOSTAGE.

130 Ip on 6p rose, black surcharge

e. POSTAGE omitted.

131 Ip on 6p rose, black surcharge f. Triple surcharge, one of which is in-

verted.
131a 1p on 6p rose, black surcharge

g. Quadruple surcharge.

131b 1p on 6p rose, black surcharge

October 13th, 1880.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size

18½x22¼ mm. Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 14.

132 ½p blue green

April 20th, 1882.

Same types as 4 and 6 penny stamps of 1874-76 issues typographed on white wove paper.
Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.

133 4p brown

134 6p lilac

1884.

Same types as ½, 1 and 3 penny stamps of 1874-80 issue, typographed on white wove

paper. Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.

135

½p blue green ½p yellow green 136

Ip rose 137

Ip carmine 138

3p blue 139

March, 1885.

Provisional issue.

I Penny stamps of 1884 issue surcharged with new value and original value obliterated by black bar. There are several varieties on the sheet, consisting in the relative position of the letters on the first line of the surcharge towards those on the second line.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.



Perforated 14.

140 1/2 p on 1p carmine, black Surcharge

Varieties:
a. "One" omitted.

141 ½ p on 1p carmine, black surcharge
b. Double surcharge.

42 ½p on 1p carmine, black surcharge c. Surcharge inverted. 142

1/2p on 1p carmine, black surcharge

January 7th, 1886. Provisional issue.

Type of the three penny stamps of the 1884 issue printed in pearl gray, surcharged with new value and original value obliterated by a black line.

Watermarked Crown and C.A.



Perforated 14.

144 2p on 3p pearl gray, black surcharge September, 1887.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18½x22¼ mm. Watermarked Crown and C. A.



Perforated 14. 145 2p olive green March 16th, 1888.

Same type as I shilling stamps of 1870 issue but printed in orange and surcharged POSTAGE in curve in red.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.



Perforated 14. 1sh orange, red surcharge

#### REVENUES USED FOR POSTAGE.

1869.

Embossed on surface colored wove paper, same type as regular adhesive stamps of first issue.



Perforated 121/2. 251 Ip yellow

June, 1873.

Typographed on white wove paper, same type as I shilling postage stamps of the 1867

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



November, 1889.

Same types as 3 penny and 5 shilling stamps of the 1884 issue.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.

147 3p pearl gray
Watermarked Crown and C. A. sideways. Perforated 14.

5sh brown

5sh rose 149

April 22nd, 1891.

Provisional issue.

4 penny stamps of the 1882 issue surcharged with new value in black.
Watermarked Crown and C. A.



Perforated 14.

150 2½p on 4p brown, black surcharge Varieties:

a. PENGE.

2½p on 4p brown, black surcharge 151 b. PENN.

2½p on 4p brown, black surcharge c. Double surcharge.

2½ p on 4p brown, black surcharge d. Surcharge inverted.

2½p on 4p brown, black surcharge 154 June, 1891.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18½x22¼ mm. Watermarked Crown and C. A.



Perforated 14. 2½p blue 155

Perforated 14. 252 Ish brown violet February, 1875.

Engraved on white wove paper, same type as regular adhesive stamps of 1864 issue.

Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 121/2. Ip yellow 253

254 6p carmine

1885.

Same type as 1873 issue.

Watermarked Crown and C, C.

Perforated 14, 1sh blue 255

WRAPPERS.

1885.

Stamp typographed at right on buff paper.



Size 125x300mm. ½p brown 301

302 Ip carmine

COUNTERFEITS.

We know of no good forgeries of the stamps of this Colony. Some of the scarcer surcharges have been forged, but careful measurements will generally show their nature.

#### NETHERLANDS.

Currency: 100 cents=1 gulden=\$0.40 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

January 1st, 1852.

Engraved on various papers (portrait of King William III). Size 173/x193/ mm.



Watermarked Post Horn.

- 1° Very thick white wove paper.
- 5c light blue
- 5c blue
- 5c dark blue 3
- 10c lake red
- 10c deep lake red
- 15c yellow orange 15c deep yellow orange
  - 2º Medium thick white wove paper.
- 8 5c blue
- 5c dark blue
- roc lake red
- 10c deep lake red
- 15c yellow orange 15c deep yellow orange

May 12th, 1864.

Engraved on various papers. Size 173/x 21 ½ mm.



1º Ordinary white wove paper, ribbed vertically.

Perforated 121/2x12.

- 14
- 5c blue 5c dark blue 15
- 16 10c lake red
- 10c deep lake red
- 15c yellow orange
- 15c deep yellow orange

2º Ordinary white wove paper.

Persorated 121/2 x 12.

- 5c blue 20
- 5c dark blue 10c lake red 21
- 22 23

- 10c deep lake red 15c yellow orange 15c deep yellow orange

October 1st, 1867.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 171/2 x21 1/2 mm.



1º Persorated 121/2x12.

- 5c ultramarine 26
- 27 5c deep ultramarine
- 28 10c lake red
- 29 10c deep lake red
- 15c red brown 20c dark green 31
- 32 25c purple
- 33 50c gold

2º Perforated 13x12.

- 5c ultramarine
- 5c deep ultramarine 10c lake red
- 10c deep lake red 15c red brown
- 20c dark green 39
- 40
- 25c purple 50c gold 41
- 3º Perforated 101/2 x10.
- 5c ultramarine 42
- 43 5c deep ultramarine
- 10c lake red
- 10c deep lake red 20c dark green
- 46

1869-71.

Engraved on white wove paper; the  $\frac{1}{2}$ , I,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 2 and  $\frac{2}{2}$  chave coat of arms in centre, the others are of the same type as the preceding issue.



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1º Perforated 13.
                              (December, 1870)
       ½c brown
        ic green
ic deep green
48
                               (June, 1869)
49
                                    66
50
     1 1/2 c rose
51
        2c yellow
                             (January 1st, 1869)
        2c pale yellow
52
     2½c violet
                              (December, 1870)
53
     21/2c red violet
                                     (1871)
    2º Perforated 131/2.
      ½c brown
        ic green
ic deep green
56
57
     1½ c rose
2½ c violet
58
59
60
     2½c red violet
        5c ultramarine
61
       5c deep ultramarine
10c lake red
62
63
       10c deep lake red
15c red brown
64
65
66
       20c dark green
66a
       25c purple
    3º Perforated 14.
       ½c brown
        ie black
                          (January 1st, 1869)
68
        ic green ic deep green
69
70
71
72
     I 1/2 c rose
        2c yellow
        2c pale yellow
73
74
75
76
     2½c violet
     2½c red violet
5c ultramarine
77
78
        5c deep ultramarine
       10c lake red
      10c deep lake red
15c red brown
79
80
       20c dark green
81
    4º Perforated 13x131/2.
      ½c brown
82
        ic green
83
84
     1½c rose
2c yellow
85
86
    2c pale yellow
2½c violet
2½c red violet
87
88
89
    5° Perforated 131/2 x14.
        5c ultramarine
91
        5c deep ultramarine
       10c lake red
 92
       10c deep lake red
15c red brown
93
94
       20c dark green
95
95a 25c purple
    6º Perforated 13x14.
96
        5c ultramarine
        5c deep ultramarine
97
98
       toc lake red
       10c deep lake red
99
100
       15c red brown
101
       20c dark green
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1871.

Same type as corresponding values of preceding issue, but engraved on bluish white wove paper.

	1º Perforated 13.
102	½c brown
103	ic green
104	2c yellow
105	2½c violet
	2º Perforated 131/2.
106	½c brown
107	ic green
108	2c yellow
109	2½c violet
110	5c ultramarine
III	roc lake red
	3° Perforated 14.
112	5c ultramarine
113	10c lake red
114	15c red brown
115	20c dark green
	4º Perforated 131/2x13.
116	½c brown
117	ic green
118	2c yellow
119	2½c violet
120	5c ultramarine
121	10c lake red
	5° Perforated 131/2x14.
122	5c ultramarine
123	10c lake red
124	15c red brown
	6º Perforated 13x14.
125	5c ultramarine
126	10c lilac red
$\nu$	arieties: Imperforate.
127	1/2c brown
128	ic black
129	ic green
130	IC green I½C rose
131	2c yellow
132	2½ c violet
133	2½c red violet
134	2½c red violet 5c ultramarine
135	10c lake red
136	15c red brown
137	20c deep green
138	25c dark purple
139	50c gold
T	he imperforate stamps

The imperforate stamps of this and subsequent issues were never put into actual use, but were obtained by favor.

#### 1872-75

Typographed on white wove paper. Sizes: 5c to 5oc, 18x22½mm., 2gl 5oc, 19½x24½mm.





# 1° Perforated 12. 140 5c ultramarine 141 10c carmine 142 12½c gray 143 15c brown 144 20c green 145 25c violet 146 50c buff

2° Perforated 13½. 147 5c ultramarine 148 10c carmine (July 1st, 1872) (July, 1875) (1873) (July 1st, 1872) (1875) (1874)

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149 121/2c gray
                                                                     200
                                                                              Ic green
       15c brown
                                                                          2c yellow
2½c violet
                                                                     201
151
       20c green
                                                                      202
       25c violet
                                                                           5° Perforated 121/2 x12.
       50c buff
153
                                                                      203
                                                                             ½c rose
    3º Perforated 14.
                                                                      204
                                                                              Ic green
154
       25c violet
                                                                            2c yellow
2½c violet
                                                                      205
155
        2gld 50c blue and rose (July 1st, 1872)
                                                                      206
     4º Perforated 13x12.
                                                                      207
                                                                              5c ultramarine
        5c ultramarine
                                                                      208
                                                                             10c carmine
157 10c carm
158 12½c gray
       10c carmine
                                                                          12½c gray
15c brown
                                                                      209
                                                                      210
                                                                      211
159
       15c brown
                                                                             20c green
160
       20c green
                                                                      212
                                                                             25c violet
16T
       25c violet
                                                                      213
                                                                             50c buff
162
       50c buff
     5° Perforated 13x14.
                                                                             ½c rose
                                                                      214
        5c ultramarine
163
                                                                      215
                                                                              ic green
164
                                                                          2c yellow
2½c violet
       10c carmine
                                                                      216
165 12½c gray
166 15c brown
                                                                      217
167
       20c green
                                                                             ½c rose
                                                                      218
     6º Perforated 13x131/2.
                                                                      219
                                                                              ic green
168
        5c ultramarine
                                                                              2c yellow
169
       10c carmine
                                                                           2½c violet
170 12½c gray
171 15c brown
       20c green
172
                                                                      222
                                                                             ½c rose
       25c violet
173
                                                                      223
                                                                              ic green
       50c buff
174
                                                                      224
                                                                              2c yellow
  Varieties: Imperforate.
                                                                            21/2c violet
        5c ultramarine
175
176
       10c carmine
                                                                             ½c rose
                                                                      226
177 12½c gray
178 15c brown
                                                                      227
                                                                              ic green
                                                                      228
                                                                              2c yellow
       20c green
179
                                                                     229 2½c violet
       25c violet
180
181
       50c buff
                                                                        т888.
182
       2gld 50c blue and rose
  1876-85.
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Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18x22 mm. The 5c and the higher values are of the same type as the preceding issue.



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1º Persorated 12.
183
       ½c rose
                       (December, 1876)
184
       Ic green
185
        2c yellow
186
    2½c violet
    2º Perforated 121/2.
187
     ½c rose
188
       Ic green
189
     21/2c violet
100
        5c ultramarine
IQI
       10c carmine
102
     12½c gray
193
      15c brown
194
       20c green
195
      25c purple
    3º Perforated 13.
196
        5c ultramarine
197
       10c carmine
198
       25c purple
    4º Perforated 131/2.
      ½c rose
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200 12½c gray
210 15c brown
211 20c green
212 25c violet
213 50c buff
6° Perforated 13x12.
214 ½c rose
215 1c green
216 2c yellow
217 2½c violet
7° Perforated 13½x13.
218 ½c rose
219 1c green
220 2c yellow
221 2½c violet
8° Perforated 11½x12.
222 ½c rose
223 1c green
224 2c yellow
225 2½c violet
Varieties: Imperforate.
226 ½c rose
227 1c green
228 2c yellow
229 2½c violet
1888.
Typographed on white wove paper, same type as head series of preceding issue.
Perforated 12½x12.
230 7½c brown lilac
231 22½c dark green
232 1gld lilac
1891.
Typographed on white wove paper (Portrait of Queen Wilhelmina). Size 18x22 mm.



Perforated 121/2. 3c orange 233 234 5c ultramarine 235 10c carmine 236 121/2c gray 15c brown 237 238 25c violet 1892-93. Same type as preceding issue. Perforated 121/2. 239 71/2c brown lilac 240 20c green 241 22½c dark green 50c bistre 242 Igld lilac

1893.

I. Typographed on white wove paper. Size 191/2 x241/2 mm.



Perforated 12½.
244 2gld 50c blue and rose

II, Same type as corresponding values of the issue of 1876-85, typographed on horizontally ribbed paper.

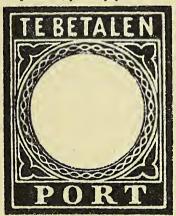
#### UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.

June, 1870.

Typographed in color on colored wove paper. Size 171/4 x21 mm.



Perforated 13. 5c brown, yellow paper



Type I.

Perforated 121/2.

½c rose

246 Ic green

1894.

Same type as preceding issues (coat of arms for the ½, 1, 2, 2½c; portrait of Queen for larger values.)

Perforated 121/2.

1/2c carmine

248 ic emerald green

2c olive yellow 249

21/2c brown violet 250

5c dark ultramarine 251 71/2c brown violet

252 ioc rose 253

15c fawn 254

20c emerald green 255

502 10c carmine, blue paper

Varieties: Imperforate.

5c brown, yellow paper 10c carmine, blue paper 503

504

April 1st, 1871.

Typographed on white wove paper, the numerals of the denomination of value being printed separately in black; there are four types of each of the values, and these four types correspond with the four types of unpaid letter stamps of the 1874-75 issue of the Dutch Indies. We illustrate below the four types enlarged in order to facilitate compari son.



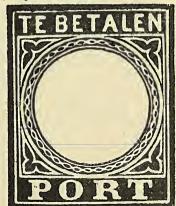
Type II.

In type I, if the vertical branch of the T of Betalen should continue downwards, it would pass through the centre of the upper loop of the chain; the O of Port is oval and there are 34 loops in the chain,

In type II, if the vertical branch of the T should continue downwards, it would pass between the two upper loops of the chain; the O of *Port* is round and there are 33 loops in the chain.



Type III.



Type IV.

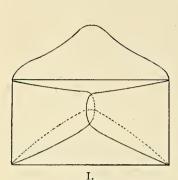
Type III is similar to type I, but the O of *Port* is round, there are 32 loops in the chain and the vertical branch of the T is slightly to the left of upper loop.

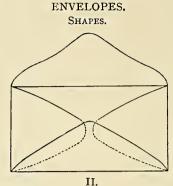
In type IV the letters of *Port* are much larger than in the other types and there are 37 loops in the chain. There are other minor differences, but the above will be sufficient, in connection with the illustrations, to show the differences in the types.

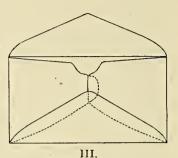
The plates of the various values were made up as follows, each plate consisting of two hundred stamps.

Pla	tes of the $1\frac{1}{2}$ , $2\frac{1}{2}$ , $12\frac{1}{2}$ c	and Igld.	2º Perforated 12½.		
	amps of type I		537 Ic blue and black	Type	1
	" II			1)10	2
43			330	"	
99	111		539		3
14	" " IV		540 IC " "	4.4	4
	tog of the r rr so and or	· ·	541 1½c blue and black	Туре	I
	ites of the I, 15, 20 and 25	5c.		1 7 00	
44 9	stamps of type I		342 1/20		2
43	" 11 " II		543 I½c " "	"	3
	" " III		544 I½c " "	"	4
100	111			Trino	
13	"		545 2½c blue and black	Type	I
D1.	to of the roa		546 2½c " "	"	2
Pia	te of the 50c.		547 2½c " "	6.6	3
Of	this plate there are two se	ettings.		66	
	setting.		540 2/20		4
			549 12½c blue and black	Type	1
38 8	stamps of type I		550 12½c " "	i'i	2
19	" " II		17	"	
130	" III		551 12/20		3
	" " IV		552 I2½c " "	"	4
13			553 15c blue and black	Type	1
2d	setting.			1,1	2
44 S	tamps of type I		554	"	
			555 150		3
43	" II		556 15c '' ''	"	4
110	" III			Type	ĭ
3	" IV			Type	
			550 200		2
Pia	te of the roc.		559 20c '' ''	"	3
44 S	tamps of type I			4.6	
43	" II		500 200	Œ	4
			561 25c blue and black		Ι
110	111		562 25c '' ''	+ 6	2
3	" " IV		563 25c '' ''	4.6	3
_				66	
			564 25c '' ''		4
	TEBETALEN		565 Igld blue and carmine	Type	Ι
			566 rgld '' ''	111	2
				"	
			50/ Igid		3
	· 181		568 Igld " "	4.6	4
	CENT		3° Perforated 13.		
			569 rc blue and black	Туре	1
				1900	
	PORT		570 10		2
			571 IC " "	4.6	3
			**	6.6	4
I	<ul> <li>Perforated 12.</li> </ul>			T	
505	ic blue and black	Type I	573 1½c blue and black	Type	Ι
			574 I½c " "	" "	2
506	10	" 2		44	3
507	IC "'	. " 3			
508	IC " "	'' 4	5/0 1/20		4
		err	577 15c blue and black	Type	Ι
509	1½c blue and black	Type 1	578 15c '' ''	66	2
510	1½c " "	2	. 11	66	
511	1½c " "	" 3	579 150	"	3
-			580 I5c " "	•••	4
512	-/2-	_ 4			
513	2½c blue and black	Туре 1	4º Perforated 13½.		
514	2½c " "	" 2	581 Ic blue and black	Tyne	I
515	21/20 "	" 3		Type	
			582		2
516	2/20	_ 4	583 IC " "	"	3
517	12½c blue and black	Туре 1	584 IC " "	" "	4
518	12½c " "	2		Tune	
-			585 2½c blue and black		Ι
519	12/20	., 3	586 2½ <b>c</b> " "	"	2
520	12½c " "	" 4	587 2½c " "	" "	3
521	15c blue and black	Туре і	588 21/C " "	**	
		2	500 2/20		4
522	130	2	589 15c blue and black	Type	
523	150		590 I5c '' ''	1.6	2
524	15c " "	" 4	- 11	"	
	20c blue and black	ers.	591 150	44	3
525			592 150		4
526	200	2	593 25c blue and black	Type	1
527	20c " "	" 3		7,1	2
	200 "		394 230	66	
528	200	_ 4	595 250		3
529	25c blue and black	Type I	596 25c " "	4.6	4
530	25c '' ''	" 2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		•
			5° Perforated 12½x12.		
531	250	. 3	,, ,,,,	Type	I
532	25c " "	4		1 ype	
533	Igld blue and carmine	Type I	590 10		2
	ıgld '' ''	2	599 rc " "	"	3
534	igia		600 IC " "	"	4
535	igiu	3	000 10	Tuno	
536	ıgld "	" 4	601 1½c blue and black	Туре	1

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11/2c blue and black
                                      Type 2
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                                                                           669
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603
         1½c " "
                                                                                     IOC " "
                                             3
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604
                                                                           671
                                                                                                                        3
                                                                                     Ioc "
605
         21/2c blue and black
                                     Type
                                                                           672
         2½c " " 2½c " " 2½c " "
606
                                                                             4º Perforated 13x12.
                                       "
607
                                             3
                                                                           673
                                                                                       5c blue and black
608
                                                                                       5c " " 5c " "
                                                                           674
609
        121/2c blue and black
                                     Туре
                                                                           675
        12½c " "
12½c " "
12½c " "
61ó
61 1
                                             3
                                                                                      10c blue and black
                                                                           677
612
                                                                                     IOC "
                                                                           678
          15c blue and black
613
                                     Type
                                                                           679
680
                                                                                                                         3
                                                                                     IOC "
614
          15c ''
15c ''
15c ''
                           "
615
                                             3
                                                                             In 1892 and 1893 the plates of all the un-
616
                                                                           paid letter stamps were reconstructed and the fourth type was left out making the composi-
          20c blue and black
617
                                     Type
          20c " " 20c " "
618
                                                                           tion of the plates as follows:
619
                                             3
                                                                                I° 1802.
620
          25c blue and black
621
                                                                              Plates of the I, 1\frac{1}{2}, 2\frac{1}{2}, 5, Io, 12\frac{1}{2} and
          25c " "
25c " "
622
                                                                            15c.
623
                                                                            33 stamps of type I
19 " " II
148 " " III
624
         Igld blue and carmine
                                     Type
625
                                                                            148
         Igld " "
Igld " "
626
                                                                             Plate of the 25c.
627
                                             3
                                                                           36 stamps of type I
21 " " II
143 " " III
         Igld
     6º Perforated 13x12.
           Ic blue and black
Ic ""
Ic ""
Ic ""
                                                                             2° 1893.
Plates of the 2½ and 10c.
                                     Type
629
630
                                             2
                                                                           31 stamps of type I
19 " II
150 " III
631
                                             3
632
         2½c blue and black
2½c " "
2½c " "
2½c " "
                                     Type
633
                                                                             Plates of the 5, 20 and 25c.
634
                                             2
                                                                            28 stamps of type I
16 " " II
156 " " III
635
                                             3
                                                                           156
    7º Perforated 131/2 x13.
        1½c blue and black
1½c " "
1½c " "
1½c " "
2½c blue and black
2½c " "
2½c " "
2½c " "
2½c " "
1½c " "
                                                                             1894.
                                     Type
                                                                             Same type as preceding issue.
638
                                                                              I. Plate composed of three types as fol-
639
640
                                     Туре
                                                                           28 stamps of type I
16 " " II
156 " " III
641
642
                                       "
         15c blue and black
15c " "
15c " "
15c " "
                                                                          Perforated 12½.
681 2½c ultram'ne & black Type I
682 2½c " " 2
683 2½c " " 3
644
                                     Type
646
                                             2
647
                                                                                    5c ultram'ne & black Type
5c '' ''
648
                                                                           684
 1887.
                                                                           685
                                                                           686
  Same type, impression, paper etc. as pre-
                                                                                   121/2c ultram'ne & black Type I
                                                                           687
ceding issue.
                                                                                 12½c " " 2
12½c " " 3
                                                                           688
1º Perforated 12.
                                                                           689
           5c blue and black
                                     Type I
649
                                                                            Varieties: Period between "E" and "T" of
           5c '' ''
5c '' ''
5c '' ''
650
                                            2
                                                                           "BETALEN."
651
                                            3
                                                                           690 2½c ultram'ne & black Type 3
691 5c "" " 3
692 12½c "" " 3
652
          Ioc blue and black
653
                                     Type
          IOC " "
IOC " "
IOC " "
654
                                                                          II. Plate composed of one type only, the third, which has been re-engraved.
655
                                            3
    2º Perforated 121/2.
                                                                            Perforated 121/2.
           5c blue and black
5c ""
5c ""
                                                                          693 21/2c dark ultramarine and black
                                     Type
                                                                                     5c " "
IOC " "
658
                                             2
                                                                           694
659
                                                                           695
                                                                                  12½c ''
15c ''
25c ''
                                                                                                     "
660
                                                                           696
         Ioc blue and black
                                                                                                     **
                                     Type
                                                                           697
698
661
                                                                                                    "
662
                                            2
663
                                             3
                                                                             Varieties: Period after "BETALEN."
          10c "
                                                                                    21/2c dark ultramarine and black
664
                                                                           699
        Perforated 12½x12.
5c blue and black
                                                                                     5c "
10c "
    3°
                                                                           700
                                                                                                     "
665
                                     Type
                                                                           701
           5c " "
                                            Ι
                                                                                  12½c "
15c "
                                                                                                     . .
                                                                           702
666
                                            2
                                                                                                     4.6
                                                                                                                     "
667
                                                                           703
                                                                                     25c "
           5c "
                                                                           704
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Jan. 1st, 1876.

Stamp of same type as adhesives of corre-

sponding issue, typographed in upper right corner.



White wove paper. Shape I. Size 150x82mm.
1001 5c blue
1002 12½c pale gray Variety: Stamp without color. 1003 12½c September, 1884. Same type, etc. as preceding issue. White laid paper.

Size 150x82mm. 1004 5c blue March, 1885.

Same type as preceding issue. White wove paper.

Shape III,

Sixe 150x82mm.

1005 5c blue December, 1891.

Stamp of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed in upper right corner.



White wove paper. Shape III. Size 150x82mm. 1006 5c blue

LETTER SHEETS.

Shape II.

October, 1888. Typographed on white wove paper.



(Reduced to two-thirds.)

Size 160x212 mm 1101 5c blue

1894.

Typographed on white wove paper.



(Reduced to two-thirds.)

Size 160x212mm. 5c ultramarine 1102

#### COUNTERFEITS

We know of no good counterfeits of the stamps of this country with the exception of the 1gld unpaid letter stamps of which a good lithographic counterfeit is in existence. It is of type I (34 loops in chain) but is a trifle larger (18x22 mm) than the genuine, and is perforated 11, a perforation which does not exist in the genuine stamps.

#### NEVIS.

Currency: 12 Pence=1 Shilling; 20 Shillings=£1=4.87 U. S. Currency.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

Engraved in taille douce on grayish white paper sometimes blued owing to the chemical paper sometimes bluet owing to the cheffical action of the ink or gum employed. One plate for each value, each plate consisting of 12 stamps in four horizontal rows of 3 stamps each, all differing from one other in minor details.









I. Grayish white wove paper, blued by some chemical action of the ink or gum.

Perforated 13.

1p lake rose 4p dull rose 2

6p gray 1sh green

II. Grayish white wove paper.

Perforated 13.

1p lake rose 5

4p dull rose 6p brownish gray

78 1sh green

1867.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on white wove paper. Perforated 15.

Ip red

4p yellow orange 1sh yellow green 10

ΙI

2 1sh blue green
Variety: Vertically laid paper.

ish yellow green 13

Same type as preceding issue but printed from lithographic transfers taken from the original plates; lithographed on white wove paper.

1º Perforated 15.

Ip red 14

15 1p vermilion

16 4p orange

17 6p olive

18 ish dark green

Varieties: 1sh yellow green

a. Imperforate.

ip vermilion 20

4p orange

b. Imperforate vertically.

ish yellow green

2º Perforated 111/2. 23 Ip vermilion

1879-80.

Typographed (portrait of Queen Victoria) on white wove paper. Size 18½x22¼mm. Watermarked Crown and C. C.



Perforated 14.

Ip violet 24 (1880)

25 21/2p red brown (1879)

Variety: I penny stamp cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 1/2 penny.

26 ½p violet

(half of I penny)

Same type, impression and paper as preceding issue.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.

1882.

1p violet
2½ p red brown
4p blue 28

September, 1883.

Provisional issue.

I penny stamps of preceding issue divided vertically in two, each half being surcharged "NEVIS" and "½d" in black or violet.



Watermarked Crown and C. C. Perforated 14.

1° Black surcharge.
30 ½p violet (right half of 1 penny)
½p violet (left half of 1 penny)

2° Violet surcharge.
½p violet (right half of 1 penny)
½p violet (left half of 1 penny)

33

1883-84.

Same type, impression and paper as preceding issue.

Watermarked Crown and C. A.

Perforated 14.
34 ½p green (1883)
35 1p rose (1884) 34 35

36 2½ p ultramarine (1884)

4p gray (1884) 6p green (1883) 37 38

1886.90.

Same type, paper, etc., as preceding

Watermarked Crown and C. A. Perforated 14.

6p red brown

(1886)

Ish purple

(1890)

#### REVENUES USED FOR POSTAGE.

I. Lithographed postage stamps of the 1879 issue surcharged REVENUE in black.

II. Postage stamps of the 1883 issue surcharged REVENUE in black.



Perforated 14.

ip violet, black surcharge

6p green 44

4p orange Since October, 1890, this colony has ceased to issue stamps of its own but is using those for the Leeward

COUNTERFEITS. We do not know of any good counterfeits of the stamps of this colony.

#### NEW BRUNSWICK.

Currency: 12 PENCE=I SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS = £1. 100 CENTS=I DOLLAR U. S. CURRENCY. ADHESIVE STAMPS.

September, 6th, 1851. Engraved in taille douce on blue wove

Perforated 15. 41 Ip red, black surcharge



3p red

6p yellow 2

6p orange yellow 3

1sh violet

ish mauve

Varieties:

a. 3 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used in connection with two 3 penny stamps or one 6 penny stamp to make up the 7½ penny rate.
6 1½p red (half of 3 penny)

b. 3 penny stamps cut vertically in two, each half being used as 1½ penny in connection with two 3 penny or one 6 penny stamp to make up the 7½ penny rate.

7 1½p red (half of 3 penny)

c. 6 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 3 penny.

8 3p yellow (half of 6 penny)
9 3p orange yellow (half of 6 penny)

d. I shilling stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 6 penny.

10 6p violet (½ of 1sh)

11 6p mauve (½ of 1sh)

e. I shilling stamps cut triangularly in quarters, each quarter being used as a 3 penny stamp.

3p violet (¼ of 1sh)
3p mauve (¼ of 1sh) 12 13

The 3 penny stamp has been seen cut diagonally in two and surcharged in red or in black "11/2;" this surcharge is undoubtedly a humbug.

The 3 penny stamp also exists on white paper; this, however, is caused by some chemical action discharging the blue color from the paper, as this stamp was never printed on white paper.

May 15th, 1860.

Engraved on white wove paper. The 5c bears the portrait of Charles Connell, Postmaster of New Brunswick; the 1oc the portrait of Queen Victoria and the 17c that of the Prince of Wales. Sizes: 1c, 223/x18 mm; 5c, 181/4x221/2 mm; 121/2c, 223/x173/4 mm; 17c, 18x23mm.











Perforated 12.

- ic brown 14
- TC violet
- 5c brown 16
- Ioc vermilion 17 18 12½ c blue
- 17c black 19

Variety: 10c stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 5c.
20 5c red (half of 10c)

On account of the 5c stamp being adorned with the portrait of the postmaster, its issue was disapproved by the Governor and the entire issue was ordered to be destroyed and replaced by stamps bearing the portrait of the Queen. A few of these stamps escaped this destruction but none were sent to any of the post offices. Unperforated specimens of these stamps are merely proofs.

1860.

Engraved on white wove paper (portrait of Queen Victoria). This stamp was issued to replace the 5c of the preceding issue with portrait of Postmaster Connell. Size, 18½x22½ mm.



Perforated 12.

- 21
- 5c green 5c bronze green

May, 1863.

Engraved on white wove paper (portrait of Queen Victoria). Size: 18x22mm.



Perforated 12. 2c orange 23

COUNTERFEITS.

Recently some very fine counterfeits of the stamps of the first issue have been placed on the market. The workmanship is so good that they will readily deceive anyone but an expert. The only noticeable differences that we can find are the following:

1st. The size, which in all values is ½mm. more than in the genuine (23x23mm., instead of 22½x22½mm.)

2d. The length of the word POSTAGE, which in the three counterfeits is larger than in the genuine, and

measures as follows:

3 penny counterfeit 14½mm. genuine 14½ mm.
penny counterfeit 14½ mm. 14mm.

genuine 1sh counterfeit 143/mm.

Ish genuine 14mm. Of the subsequent issues there are no good forgeries to our knowledge. All those seen by us were lithographed and would not bear comparison.

#### NEWFOUNDLAND.

Currency: 12 Pence = I Shilling; 20 Shillings = £1; 100 cents = I Dollar U.S. Currency,

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

January 1st, 1857.

Engraved in taille douce on white wove paper; the I and 5 penny stamps are of the same type, all the other values being of differ-

















- I. Medium thick white wove paper.
- Ip violet brown
- 2p scarlet vermilion
- 3p green
- 4p scarlet vermilion
- 5p violet brown
- 6p scarlet vermilion
- 6½p "

#### Varieties:

a, 4 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 4penny.

2p scarlet vermilion (half of 4p) IO

8 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 4 penny.

11 4p scarlet vermilion (half of 8p)

c. I shilling stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 6 penny.

12 6p scarlet vermilion (half of 1sh)

d. 8 penny stamps cut horizontally in two, each half being used as a 4 penny.

13 4p scarlet vermilion (half of 8p)

e. 8 penny stamps cut vertically in two, each half being used as a 4 penny.

14 4p scarlet vermilion (half of 8p)

Several unused specimens of the Ish scar-let vermilion on thick laid paper were recently discovered, a few of these having leaked out of the hands of Perkins, Bacon & Co.; as it is improbable that any stamps on this paper were ever issued for use we can only consider these as essays.

II. Stout transparent white wove paper.

Ip violet brown

16 2p orange

17 18 3p green

4p orange

5p violet brown IQ

20 6p orange

21 Ish orange

#### Varieties.

a. 4 penny stamps cut vertically in two, each half being used as 2penny.

2p orange (half of 4p)

b. I shilling stamps cut horizontally in two, each half being used as 6penny.

6p orange (half of 1sh)

c. I shilling stamps cut vertically in two, each half being used as 6penny.
24 6p orange (half of 1sh)

We cannot agree with the work of the London Society that the issue of the orange stamps preceded that of the scarlet vermilion stamps, and base our opinion on the following reasoning:

1º The orange stamps are printed on the same stout transparent paper as the lake stamps, while the scarlet vermilion stamps are on thick paper. Now, it is not likely that the printers should have changed the quality of paper in between two issues on the same paper.

2º The orange stamps, except the 1 shilling, are less scarce than the scarlet vermilion.

3° It is more than probable that all the values were issued together, and, as the 6½ and 8 penny stamps were very little used, this would account for their not being printed in orange.

We think that it will require definite information to the contrary to upset this theory.

#### 1862.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on stout transparent white wove paper,

Ip reddish brown

2p lake

4p lake 27

5p reddish brown

29 6p lake

6½p lake 30

8p lake 31 1sh lake

#### Varieties:

a. 4 penny stamps cut vertically in two, each half being used as 2p.
33 2p lake (half of 4p)

b. I penny stamps cut in two, each half being used as ½p in connection with another I penny stamp and a 10c stamp of the fol-lowing issue to make up the 13c rate. 34 ½p red brown (half of 1p)

4 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 2 penny.
35 2p lake (half of 4p)

d. 6 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 3 penny.
36 3p lake (half of 6p)

e. I shilling stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 6 penny.
37 6p lake (half of Ish)

f. 4 penny stamps cut horizontally in two, each half being used as a 2 penny.

38 2p lake (half of 4p)

The 8p lake was never issued to the public, as a sufficient quantity of the 8p scarlet vermilion was still on hand.

Some sheets of the paper on which these stamps were printed show the following watermark: STACEYWISE in large double 1858 lined capitals, but as this watermark is merely a trade mark of the manufacturer of the paper it deserves only passing notice.

January, 1866.

Engraved on yellowish and white wove paper; the Ioc bears the portrait of the Prince of Wales and the 12 and 24c stamps the portrait of Queen Victoria. Sizes: 2c, 24x19½ mm; 5c, 26½x19½ mm; 10c 19½x 25½ mm: 12c, 22½x24 mm; 13c, 25½x20 mm; 24c, 23x26½ mm.













I. Yellowish wove paper.

Perforated 12.

2c green

40 5c brown

41 10c black 42 12c pink

13c orange

24c blue

Varieties:

a. 2 cent stamps cut in two, each half being used as Ic in connection with two 2c stamps to make up the 5c rate.
45 Ic green (half of 2c)

b. 5c stamps cut in two, each half being used as 2½c stamp in connection with a 10c stamp to make up the 121/2c rate.

21/2c brown (half of 5c)

c. 10c stamps cut in two, each half being used as 5c.

5c black (half of 10c) 47

d. 12c stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 6 cent.

6c pink (half of 12c)

II. White wove paper.

Perforated 12.

2c green 10c black

50 12c pink 51

13c orange 52

24c blue

The London Society, in its work on the British Colonial stamps of North America, catalogues the 5 and 10c perforated 14 and the 5c rouletted; also the 5c black of the next issue perforated 10½ and rouletted. Of these we have seen the first and last one but both of them were forgeries. The first was a lithographic counterfeit and the second was a 5c blue, the color of which had been chemically changed into black; both, however, were so cleverly made as to deceive some of our most prominent collectors; we are strongly inclined to believe that the other varieties (10c, perforated 14, and 5c, perforated 101/2) are of the same class.

1868-70.

Engraved on white wove paper.
The 1c has the portrait of the Prince of Wales, the 3 and 6c are of the same type and bear the portrait of Queen Victoria; the 5c is of the same type as the preceding issue. Sizes: 1c, 19x24/2mm; 3 & 6c, 20x25mm.





Perforated 12.

(End 1868) Ic lilac 3c vermilion (July, 1870) (End 1868)

5c black 56 6c rose 57 (July, 1870)

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on white wove paper; the Ic was re-engraved, the principal differences being in the size, which is a trifle smaller (19x23½mm), and in the letters N. F. which are closer to the scroll.

Perforated 12. 8 1c violet brown (1871) 58

3c blue (1873) 59

1876-79.

Same type as preceding issue but stamps are rouletted.

Ic violet brown (End 1877) 60

2c green (End 1879) 3c blue (End 1877) 5c blue (End 1876) 6т

62 63

1880.

Engraved on white wove paper, types similar to preceding issue. Sizes: Ic, 19½ x24½mm; 2c, 29x20mm; 3c, 19½x24; 5c, 28x19mm.









Perforated 12.

ic violet brown
ic gray brown

65

2c green 3c blue 66

67 5c blue 68

Variety: Double perforation horizontally through centre of stamp.

3c blue 69

1887.

Engraved on white wove paper, same type as corresponding values of preceding issue, the ½ and roc being of a new type. Sizes: ½c, 19x19mm; 10c, 27x19½mm.





Perforated 12.

70 ½c red 71 ic green

72 2c orange 73 74 3c brown 5c blue

roc black 75

Variety:

Double perforation vertically.

76 Ioc black

1890.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on yellowish wove paper.

Perforated 12.

Ic green

77 78 2c orange 3c brown

79 80 5c dark blue

1891.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size: 20x24 1/2 mm.



Perforated 12. 3c slate 81

1894.

Same types as corresponding values of preceding issue.

Perforated 12.

½c black

6c deep pink 12c puce brown

The stamps of the issues of 1857-62 were Printed by Messrs. Perkins, Bacon & Co., of London, those of 1866-79 by the American Bank Note Co., of New York, and those of the subsequent issues by the British Bank Note Co., of Montreal.

ENVELOPES.

Embossed in upper right corner on white laid paper.



1º Size: 120x94mm.

IOI 3c violet

5c blue 102

1880.

Typographed on manila paper



2º Size: 140x78mm.

103 3c violet 104 5c blue

WRAPPERS.



Size: 115x300mm. ıc deep green

2c carmine 152 3c brown 153

COUNTERFEITS.

We have seen some very fine new counterfeits of the stamps of the first issues and give below some points by which it will be easy to distinguish the counterfeits from the genuine.

2 Pence. In the genuine the heraldic flowers in the centre do not touch the circular frame; in the counterfeits one of the leaves of the thistle touches the inner line of the circular frame. In the counterfeits the upper curve of the "g" of "postage" is broken.

4 Pence. In the genuine the oval containing the circle with heraldic flowers does not touch the reticulated work around it, and the distance between the oval and the reticulated work is equal, while in the counterfeits the latter sometimes touches the oval. In the counterfeits the "g" of "postage" resembles a "c" and in the "e" of the same word the top branch is longer than the lower one.

'e' of the same word the top branch is longer than the lower one.

6 Pence. In the genuine the upper curve of the '6' in the upper left corner is so pronounced that it almost touches the lower part and gives it the appearance of an '8'.

6½ Pence. In the genuine the diagonal dash of the '½' in the lower left corner touches the frame at top; the diagonal dash in the lower right corner does not touch the frame, and the diagonal dash in the

upper right corner touches the '6'.

§ Pence. In the genuine the lines composing the lower part of the oval containing the heraldic flowers are equi-distant, while in the counterfeits the distance is greater between some than between others.

I Shilling. In the genuine the leaf of the thistle does not touch the rose leaf just above it, and the extremity of the same thistle leaf is ½mm. from the circle, while in the counterfeits it touches the rose leaf and touches or almost touches the circle,

There is a pretty good counterfeit of the 5c brown of the 1866 issue but as it is lithographed instead of engraved its appearance will readily show its nature to the advanced collector. Beginners, however, will do well to compare any doubtful specimens with the 5c blue of 1868-79 issues, the engraving of which is identical with the 5c brown.

The other stamps of subsequent issues have also been counterfeited, but so far we have not seen any dangerous enough to deceive even a tyro.

#### NEW REPUBLIC.

Currency:—12 PENCE=1 SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS = £1 = \$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

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1886-87.
 Hand stamped in violet on various papers,
the date being changed at each printing.
Size 24x32mm.
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6 NIEUWE REPUBLIEK 24 MAY 86 ZUIDAFRIKA

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I. Yellow wove paper.
 Perforated II 1/2.
         Ip violet
                            (9 Jan 86)
                            (13 Jan 86)
(10 Feb 86)
 2
         ıр
 3
         ıр
         ıр
                            (7 Mar 86)
 5
                            (17 Mar 86)
         ıр
                "
                            (24 Apr 86)
                "
                            (30 Jun 86)
 78
         ıр
                "
                            (7 Jul 86)
                "
                            (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
(6 Oct 86)
 9
                "
10
                "
ΙI
         ıр
                            (13 Oct 86)
(3 Nov 86)
               "
12
         ıр
                "
13
         ıр
                            (13 Nov 86)
(17 Jan 87)
                "
14
         Ιp
                "
15
16
         Ip
                "
                            (9 Jan 86)
         2p
                           (13 Jan 86)
(13 Jan 86)
(24 May 86)
(30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
(13 Oct 86)
(24 Nov 86)
                "
17
         2p
18
                "
         2p
                44
19
         2p
                "
20
         2p
                ..
21
         2p
                "
22
         2p
                "
                            (4 Jan 87)
(17 Jan 87)
(13 Jan 86)
23
         2p
                "
24
         2p
                "
25
         3P
                "
                            (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
26
         3P
                "
27
         3 D
                "
28
                            (13 Oct 86)
         3P
                "
                            (24 Nov 86)
29
         3p
3Ó
                            (17 Jan 87)
         3 P
                            (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
31
         4p
32
         4p
                            (13 Oct 86)
33
          4p
                "
                            (21 May 86)
34
                "
35
36
                            (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
                "
                "
                            (13 Oct 86)
37
         6p
                "
38
                            (13 Jan 86)
         9p
                "
                            (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
39
         9p
                "
40
                           (13 Oct 86)
(30 Aug 86)
(6 Sept 86)
(13 Oct 86)
                "
41
                "
42
          Ish
                "
         Ish
43
                "
          Tsh
44
         1sh 6p violet (30 Aug 86)
1sh 6p '' (6 Sept 86)
45
46
         ish 6p "
          Ish 6p
                             (13 Oct 86)
47
48
                             (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sept 86)
          2sh violet
         2sh "
2sh "
49
50
                              (13 Oct 86)
          2sh 6p violet (19 Aug 86)
51
                              (30 Aug 86)
(6 Sep 86)
         2sh 6p "
52
53
54
          2sh 6p
                              (13 Oct 86)
          2sh 6p
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4sh violet
                             (4 Jan 87)
 56
          5sh
                             (24 May 86)
 57
58
                             (6 Sep 86)
          5sh
                 "
          5sh
                             (13 Oct 86)
 59
          5sh 6p violet (7 Mar 86)
 60
          7sh 6p "
                            (24 May 86)
        rosh violet
 6I
                             (6 Sept 86)
        10sh " (13 Oct 86)
10sh " (24 Nov 86)
10sh 6p violet (13 Oct 86)
 62
 63
 64
        13sh violet
 65
66
                             (24 Nov 86)
        13sh
                              (4 Jan 87)
                   ...
                             (13 Jan 86)
(6 Sept 86)
 67
68
                   "
         £I
                   "
 69
         £I
                              (13 Oct 86)
                             (13 Jan 86)
(24 Nov 86)
                  "
         30sh
 70
                   "
 71 30sh
Varieties:
  а.
      Imperforate.
     rp violet (30 Aug 86)
2p " (24 Nov 86)
3p " (24 Nov 86)
The dash between shilling and pence is
 72
 73
 74
b.
horizontal instead of diagonal.
                                 (13 Oct 86)
(13 Oct 86)
          1sh 6p violet
 75
76
  76 2sh 6p "
c. Double impression.
       3p violet
Without date.
                                  (24 Nov 86)
 77
d.
 78
79
80
          2p violet
          3P
4P
6p
                 "
 81
                 44
 82
          Ish
 83
          1sh 6p violet
 84
          2sh 6p
          5sh
 86
         IOSh
       Imperforate, without date.
   e.
 87
          3p violet
 88
          4P
   II. Gray paper with fragments of blue silk
threads.
   Perforated 111/2.
                               (24 Jan 86)
(24 May 86)
(26 May 86)
 89
           Ip violet
 90
           Ip
 91
           ιp
                               (30 Jun 86)
 92
           ıр
                               (7 Jul 86)
(6 Oct 86)
 93
           īр
 94
           Ip
                               (3 Nov 86)
 95
           ıр
 96
                               (24 Nov 86)
           ıp
                  "
 97
98
                               (4 Jan 87)
           ıр
                               (17 Jan 87)
(24 Jan 86)
(10 Feb 86)
(7 Mar 86)
                  "
                  "
 99
           2p
                  "
100
           2p
                  "
TOI
           2p
                               (17 Mar 86)
(24 Apr 86)
                  "
TO2
           2p
                  4.
103
           2p
                               (24 May 86)
(30 Aug 86)
                  . 6
104
           2p
                  "
TO5
           2p
                               (13 Oct 86)
(4 Jan 87)
                  "
106
           2p
                  "
107
           2p
                               (20 Jan 87)
(13 Oct 86)
                  "
108
           2p
                  4.6
100
           3p
                  "
                               (24 May 86)
IIO
           4P
                  "
                               (13 Oct 86)
III
           4p
                  . 4
                               (24 Nov 86)
112
           4p
                  "
                               (24 May 86)
           6p
113
                  "
                               (6 Sept 86)
(24 Nov 86)
           6p
114
                  "
           6p
115
                               (6 Sep 86)
(24 Nov 86)
116
           9p
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117

9p

118	1sh violet	(24 May 86)		
119	ısh ''	(6 Sep 86)		
120	ısh ''	(13 Oct 86)		
121	ısh "	(24 Nov 86)		
122	1sh 6p violet	(13 Oct 86)		
123	ish 6p "	(24 Nov 86)		
124	2sh violet	(24 May 86)		
125	2sh ''	(13 Oct 86)		
126	2sh "	(24 Nov 86)		
127	2sh 6p violet	(19 Aug 86)		
128	2sh 6p ''	(6 Sep 86)		
129	4sh violet	(17 Ian 87)		
130	5sh 6p violet	(17 Jan 87) (13 Jan 87) (13 Jan 87)		
131	7sh 6p "	(13 Jan 87)		
132	13sh violet	(17 Jan 87)		
133	30sh violet	(13 Jan 86)		
134	30sh ''	(17 Jan 87)		
	arieties:	(=7 5 7)		
0	Imperforate.			
	ip violet	(24 Nov 86)		
135	2p "	(30 Aug 86)		
137	3p ''	(13 Oct 86)		
138	4p ''	(13 Oct 86)		
139	6p ''	(6 Sep 86)		
b.		(0 BCP 00)		
140	3p violet	(13 Oct 86)		
с.	~			
141	4p violet	(24 Nov 86)		
141	6p ''	(24 Nov 86)		
	-	(24 1101 00)		
	Without date.			
143	Ip violet			
144	2p ''			
18	86-87.			
Same as preceding issues but with addition				
		sed without color.		
T.	Yellow wove par	ner.		
2. 10110W WOTO Paper.				



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Perforated 111/2.
                             (20 Jan 86)
(10 Feb 86)
         1p violet
145
          ıp
                             (17 Mar 86)
147
          ıp
                             (14 Apr 86)
         ıp
                             (26 May 86)
149
          ір
150
                             (28 May 86)
         ıр
151
         ıp
                             (30 June 86)
                46
152
                             (4 Aug 86)
153
                             (13 Sep 86)
                             (6 Oct 86)
154
                46
                             (3 Nov 86)
(2 Dec 86)
155
                4.6
156
         2p
                "
157
         2p
                             (20 Jan 87)
                "
                             (2 Dec 86)
158
                "
Varieties:
                             (2 Dec 86)
      "D" is wide apart from "2".
  a.
         2p violet
160
                             (2 Dec 86)
  b. Arms inverted.
                             (20 Jan 86)
(10 Feb 86)
161
         Ip violet
162
         Ip
                             (26 May 86)
(14 Apr 86)
(7 Jul 86)
(3 Nov 86)
(2 Dec 86)
                66
163
         IP
                66
164
         Ip
                "
165
         Ip
166
                "
         Ip
167
                66
         ıp
                46
168
                             (20 Jan 87)
         2p
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c. Arms embossed from the front so that
the relief is on the reverse of the stamp.
  d. Same as "c" with arms inverted.
169
       2p violet
                           (20 Jan 87)
170
  e. Imperforate.
171 Ip violet (30 Jun 00)
f. Imperforate vertically and arms in-
verted.
172
        Ip violet
                           (2 Dec 86)
II. Gray wove paper with fragments of blue silk threads.
  Perforated 111/2.
                        (20 Jan 86)
(10 Feb 86)
(17 Mar 86)
173
         Ip violet
174
         ıp
175
         ıp
                        (17 Mar 86)
(14 Apr 86)
(30 Jun 86)
(7 Jul 86)
(4 Aug 86)
(3 Nov 86)
(2 Dec 86)
               "
176
         ıр
               ٠.
177
         ıр
               "
178
               "
179
180
         ір
               "
         Ip
181
               "
         Ip
               "
                        (30 Aug 86)
182
         2p
               "
                        (2 Dec 86)
183
         2p
               "
184
         2p
                        (4 Jan 87)
Varieties:
                        (20 Jan 87)
  a. Imperforate.
                        (30 Jun 86)
(7 Jul 86)
(2 Dec 86)
         Ip violet
186
187
         ID
               61
188
         2p
              "
         2p
                        (20 Jan 87)
189
      Arms inverted.
  b.
                         (16 Feb 86)
         Ip violet
190
                         (17 Mar 86)
IQI
         IP
                         (26 Mar 86)
192
         гp
               "
         ıp
                         (26 May 86)
193
                         (3 Nov 86)
194
         Ip
                         (30 Aug 86)
(2 Dec 86)
195
         2p
196
         2p
     Imperforate vertically.
   c.
                        (7 Jul 86)
(4 Aug 86)
197
         ip violet
198
         ıp "
   d. Imperforate horizontally and arms in-
verted.
         2p violet
                        (2 Dec 86)
199
   e. Arms embossed from the front so that
the relief is on the reverse of the stamp.
                       (30 Aug 86)
(4 Jan 87)
(20 Jan 87)
200
         2p violet
         2p "
2p "
201
202
   f. Same as "e" but arms inverted.
         2p violet (20 Jan 87)
203
   February, 1887.
   Same type as preceding issue. but without
 date, hand stamped on gray wove paper with
fragments of blue silk threads, and coat of
arms embossed without color.
   Perforated 111/2.
204
         1p violet
205
         2p
206
         3p
             6.6
207
         4p
              ..
208
209 Ish Varieties:
         1sh 6p violet
   a. Arms inverted.
         Ip violet
210
   b. Imperforate.
         2p violet
211
   12 Ish 6p violet
c. Imperforate and arms inverted.
212
         Ip violet
213
   d. Imperforate vertically.
214
         ip violet
   e. Imperforate vertically and arms inver-
ted.
         Ip violet
215
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M	arch, 1887.	233
Sa	me as preceding issue, hand stamped on	234
	w wove paper.	235
		236
	rforated 111/2.	237
216	3p violet	b
217	4p "	238
218	бр "	239
219	9p ''	240
220	ish . "	c
221	1sh 6p violet	241
222	2sh 6p ''	242
223	4sh "	243
224	5sh ''	- d
225	5sh 6p ''	244
226	7sh 6p '·	-44 e
227	iosh "	
228	Iosh 6p "	245
229	£1 "	246
230	30sh "	
	rieties:	247
		I am
	Arms inverted.	age
231	3p violet	any
232	4p · "	rar
	ENVELOPE	S.

6p violet ısh 2sh 6p violet Iosh " £I Imperforate. 3p violet 3P " 9p Imperforate vertically. 5sh violet rosh violet 10sh 6p violet d. Imperforate vertically, arm inverted. 3p violet Tête bêche. £1 violet
Without coat of arms. 2p violet 2sh " All these stamps were receivable for post-e, but bona fide cancelled specimens of y but the I and 2 penny stamps are quite

#### ENVELOPES.

January, 4th, 1887. Same type as first issue of adhesive stamps hand stamped in upper right corner on various papers. I. White laid paper. Sixe 145x94mm. 18 2p violet

II. Blue laid paper. 16 Size 223x100mm. 2p violet 2º Size 229x102mm. 2p violet 3° Size 254x105mm. 2p violet 251

#### COUNTERFEITS.

We know of no good counterfeits of the stamps of this State.

#### NEW SOUTH WALES.

Currency: 12 PENCE=I SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS=£1=\$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1850.

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Engraved in taille douce on various papers. Engraved in taille douce on various papers. This issue consists of 3 values: 1, 2, and 3 pence: Of the 1 penny stamps there are one plate and one retouch. Of the 2 pence stamps there are three plates besides one retouch of the first plate and two retouches of the third plate. Of the 3 pence stamps there is only one plate. The plates of the 1 and 3 pence stamps are composed of 25 stamps in 5 horizontal rows of 5 stamps each, all differing one from another in minor details. The plates of the 2 pence stamps are composed of plates of the 2 pence stamps are composed of 24 stamps in 2 horizontal rows of 12 stamps each, all differing one from another in various

ONE PENNY.

Plate I.

The principal characteristics of this plate are: The sky is cloudless, the houses on the top of the hill are joined together in a row, the hill is unshaded and the lines are fine and clear.



1º Soft yellowish wove paper. Ip red 25 varieties Ip lake red 2 rp vermilion red 3 2º Bluish wove paper. 25 varieties Ip red 3° Bluish closely ribbed paper. 1p red 25 varieties 4º White closely ribbed paper. Ip red 25 varieties Plate I. retouched.

The principal features of this plate are as follows:—There are clouds in the sky, the hill is shaded, the houses are separated and the lines are broad and coarse.



1º Yellowish wove paper. 25 varieties Ip red 8 Ip lake red
Principal varieties: a. Hill unshaded (No. 8 on the plate). 9 Ip red 10 Ip lake red

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b. No clouds (No. 15 on the plate).
       Ip red
       Ip lake red
   2º Bluish wove paper.
                          25 varieties
       Ip red
13
14 Ip lake red
Principal varieties:
a. Hill unshaded.
15 Ip red
16 Ip lake red
b. No clouds.
15
       Ip red
17
18
       Ip lake red
   3º Yellowish white ribbed paper.
       Ip red
                         25 varieties
19
p lake red
Principal varieties:
a. Hill unshaded.
20
       Ip red
21
       Ip lake red
 b. No clouds.
23
       Ip red
       ip lake red
   4º Bluish white ribbed paper.
       Ip red
                          25 varieties
       Ip lake red
26
 Principal varieties: a. Hill unshaded.
       1p red
1p lake red
28
 b. No clouds.
29
       Ip red
       Ip lake red
30
    5° Yellowish laid paper.
       Ip red
                          25 varieties
 2 Ip lake red
Principal varieties:
 a. Hill unshaded.
 33 Ip red
34 Ip lake red
b. No clouds.
33
       Ip red
        Ip lake red
   6º Bluish laid paper.
       Ip red
                           25 varieties
38
        Ip lake red
 Principal varieties:
a. Hill unshaded.
       Ip red
39
       Ip lake red
 b. No clouds.
       Ip red
42
        ip lake red
 TWO PENCE.
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The principal characteristic of this plate is that the background of the spandrels is formed of vertical lines.



Soft yellowish wove paper. 2p blue 24 varieties 43 2p blue 44 2p dark blue 45 2p indigo blue 46 2p gray blue Principal varieties: 45 46

a. The background is formed of wavy lines crossing each other obliquely, instead of vertical straight lines crossing the wavy lines. This variety is No. 19 on the plate.

2p blue 2p dark blue 48 48 2p dark blue
49 2p indigo blue
50 2p gray blue
b. Lines crossing each other at an angle of
about 45° in upper right corner of vertical
lined background. (No. 20 on the plate).
51 2p blue
52 2p dark blue
53 2p indigo blue
54 2p gray blue 2p gray blue 54 Plate I retouched. Plate I retouched.

2 p blue

12 varieties

5 2p dark blue

7 2p indigo blue

8 2p gray blue

Conly the lower row of the plate was retouched.

The plate is the same as plate I, except 56

that the vertical lines of the frame are deep and wide and a double line engraved above "TWO PENCE" and below "POSTAGE." Stamps of the top row are found with additional frame lines, indicating an intention on the part of the engraver to retouch these also.

Plate II.

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In this plate the back ground of spandrels is composed of horizontal lines; there is a dot in each of the corner stars, the bale is divided by 4 double lines and is dated 17-88 in the two lower compartments.



1º Soft yellowish wove paper. 2p blue 24 varieties 60 2p dark blue 2p ultramarine
Principal varieties:
a. 'Crevit' wanting. This is No. 13 on the plate. 2p blue 62 2p dark blue 63 2p ultramarine Fan with 6 instead of 7 segments. (No. 20 on the plate). 2p blue 2p dark blue 65 67 2p ultramarine c. Pick and shovel missing (No. 10 on the plate). 68 2p blue 2p dark blue 69 2p ultramarine 2º Hard blue wove paper. 24 varieties 2p blue 72 2p pale blue Principal varieties: a. 'Crevit' wanting. 2p blue 73 2p pale blue 74 b. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments. 75 2p pale blue c. Pick and Shovel missing. 2p blue 2p pale blue 78 3º Hard gray or dirty white paper. 2p blue 24 varieties

2p pale blue

Principal varieties:
a. "Crevit wanting.
81 2p blue
82 2p pale blue
b. Fan with 6 instead of 7 segments.
83 2p blue
84 2p pale blue
c. Pick and shovel missing.
85 2p blue
86 2p pale blue
All impressions on this paper are extremely worn.
Plate III.
In this plate the bale is not dated. There



Grayish wove paper.

87 2p gray blue 24 varieties.

88 2p dark blue "

89 2p ultramarine "

Principal varieties:

a. Hill unshaded (No. 3 on the plate).

90 2p gray blue

91 2p dark blue

92 2p ultramarine

b. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments. (No.

20 on the plate).

93 2p gray blue

94 2p dark blue

95 2p ultramarine

Plate III, first retouch,

In this plate the bale is divided by double lines and there is a small circle in each of the

corner stars,

1° Hard blue wove paper.

96 2p blue 24 varieties
97 2p dark blue "
98 2p violet blue "
Principal varieties:
a. Hill unshaded (No. 4 on plate). 2p blue 2p dark blue 100 or 2p violet blue
b. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments. (No. IOI 20 on plate).
102 2p blue
103 2p dark blue
104 2p violet blue c. No clouds, (No. 22 on plate). 2p blue 105 2p dark blue 106 2p violet blue 107 2º Hard gray wove paper. 2p dull blue 24 van 24 varieties. Principal varieties: a. Hill unshaded. og 2p dull blue
b. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments.
10 2p dull blue IIO c. No clouds.

2p dull blue

3º Vertically laid or ribbed paper. 2p blue 24 varieties. 2p dark blue " 113 2p violet blue Principal varieties: a. Hill unshaded. 2p blue 115 2p dark blue 116 2p violet blue b. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments. 2p dark blue 2p dark blue 118 119 2p violet blue 120 c. No clouds. 121 2p blue 2p dark blue 122 2p violet blue 123 Plate III, 2nd retouch. The principal feature of this plate is the pearl at the base of the fan instead of the

The principal feature of this plate is the pearl at the base of the fan instead of the usual scalloped ornament.



1° Hard gray wove paper.

124 2p dull violet blue 24 varieties.

Principal varieties:

a. Fan has 6 instead of 7 segments, (No 20 on the plate).

125 2p dull violet blue
b. Pick and shovel missing, (No. 17 on the plate).

126 2p dull violet blue
2° Vertically laid paper.

127 2p dull violet blue
24 varieties.

128 2p dull violet blue
b. Pick and shovel missing.

129 2p dull violet blue
THREE PENCE



1º Soft yellowish wove paper.

30 3p yellow green 25 varieties Principal variety: Without whip. (Nos 25 varieties 130 18 and 19 on plate).
131 3p yellow green 2º Hard blue wove paper. 3p yellow green 3p emerald green 132 25 varicties 133 Principal variety: Without whip 3p yellow green 3p emerald green 3º Yellowish horizontally laid paper. 3p yellow green 25 varieties 3p emerald green 137 Principal variety: Without whip. 3p yellow green 3p emerald green 138 139 4º Bluish horizontally laid paper 25 varieties 140 3p yellow green 3p emerald green 141

Principal variety: Without whip.

Principal variety.

142 3p yellow green

143 3p emerald green

Some of the stamps of this issue are found

This, watermarked with part of a letter. This, however, is of no interest as it is only a trade mark of the manufacturer of the paper.

This issue consists of five values: 1, 2, 3, 6 and 8 pence engraved on various papers. the 1, 3, and 8 pence stamps there is only one plate of each, composed of five horizontal rows of ten stamps each, all differing one from another in minor details. Of the 2 pence stamps there are two plates and one retouch of the first one. The 2 pence plates are composed of 50 stamps in five horizontal rows of ten stamps each, all differing one from another in minor details. Of the 6 pence stamps there are also an original plate and one retouch, each consisting of 25 stamps in one retouch, each consisting of 25 stamps in five horizontal rows of five stamps each.

#### ONE PENNY.



1º Blue wove paper (Jan. 1st, 1853) Ip carmine 50 varieties 144 Ip orange red 145 146 Ip red Ip lake red 147 Principal varieties: a. No floreate ornament at the right of the word 'South' (Nos. 7 and 21 on the plate). 148 Ip carmine 149 1p orange red 150 ip red b. "Wale" instead of "Wales" (No. 9 on 151 the plate.) 152 Ip carmine 153 Ip orange red 154 Ip red Ip lake red 155 c. The upper leaf of the floreate ornament at the right of the word "South" is missing (No. 15 on the plate.) Ip carmine 156 157 Ip orange red Ip red 158

Ip lake red 159

2º White wove paper (1853) 1p carmine 50 varieties 1p lake red 161

Principal varieties:

a. No floreate ornament at the right of the word "South".

162 Ip carmine Ip lake red 163

"Wale" instead of "Wales."

1p carmine 165 Ip lake red

c. The upper leaf of the floreate ornament at the right of the word "South" is missing.

166 Ip carmine Ip lake red 167

3° Vertically laid blue paper (1853) 1p vermilion 50 varieties 168

Ip carmine

169 Ip carmine

\*\*Principal Varieties:

a. No floreate ornament at the right of the word "South."

1p vermilion

171 h.

ip carmine
"Wale" instead of "Wales."

Ip vermilion 172

ip carmine 173

The upper leaf of the floreate ornament at the right of the word "South" is missing.

Ip vermilion 174 Ip carmine

4º Blue ribbed paper.

176 Ip vermilion 50 varieties

177 Ip carmine
Principal Varieties:

a. No floreate ornament at the right of the word "South."

178 1p vermilion

79 Ip carmine b. "Wale" instead of "Wales." 179

1p vermilion Ip carmine

c. The upper leaf of the floreate ornament at the right of the word "South" is missing.

182 Ip vermilion Ip carmine

TWO PENCE.

Plate I.

In this plate the background is formed of vertical, straight and wavy lines. Some of the stamps of this plate are found in which the background has a mottled appearance, caused by defective printing.

1º Blue wove paper. 184 2p dull blue 50 varieties

2p blue 185 2p dark blue 186 2p ultramarine 187 2p gray blue Variety: Rouletted. 188

This stamp is given on the authority of the work of the London Society on the Stamps of Oceania.

2º White wove paper. 190 2p blue 50 varieties

Plate I. retouched.

The background on these stamps is formed of straight lines, crossed horizontally and vertically, and in front of the ear is a little curl which looks like a hole in the face.

1º Blue wove paper (Dec. 23rd, 1851).

2p blue 50 varieties IOI 2p pale blue 2p deep blue 192

193 2º Blue ribbed paper.

2p milky blue 50 varieties 194

Plate II.

The principal feature of this plate is in the corners, where the usual ornament has been replaced by a six rayed star.



1º Blue wove paper. (1853.) 2p blue 50 varieties 195

2p dark blue 196

197 2p ultramarine "Principal variety: "Waees" (No. 23 on the plate).

198 2p blue 2p dark blue 199 2p ultramarine 200

2º Blue ribbed paper.	
2º Blue ribbed paper. 201 2p deep blue Principal variety: "Wa	50 varieties aees."
202 2p deep blue	
Reprints. 1887.	
Blue wove paper.	
203 2p deep ultramarin 204 2p dark blue	ne 50 varieties
204 2p dark blue THREE PENCE. (D	oo Hib Tora
1° Blue wove paper.	ec. 7th 1052.)
205 3p green	50 varieties.
206 3p emerald green 207 3p yellow green	"
Principal variety: "W	aces" (No. 37 on
plate).	
200 3p green 200 3p emerald green	
208 3p green 209 3p emerald green 210 3p yellow green	
2° White wove paper 211 3p green 212 3p emerald green	. To variation
212 3p emerald green	50 varieties
213 3p yenow green	
Principal variety: "Wa 214 3p green	ices."
215 3p emerald green 216 3p yellow green	
216 3p yellow green	
3° Blue ribbed paper. 217 3p yellow green	50 varieties
Principal variety: "Wa	ices."
218 3p yellow green	
SIX PENCE. (April 3	30th, 1852.)
Plate I. Blue wove paper.	
219 6p brown	25 varieties
220 6p dark brown 221 6p red brown	"
Principal variety: 'Wal	ls' (No. 8 on the
plate).	
222 6p brown 223 6p dark brown 224 6p red brown	
and a production of	
Plate I, retouched.  This plate can be disti	inguished from the
preceding one by the backg	round, which in the
retouch is coarse, while it original plate.	is very fine in the
1º Blue wove paper.	
225 6p brown	25 varieties
226 6p dark brown 227 6p red brown	"
2º White wove paper	•
228 6p brown 229 6p dark brown	25 varieties
230 6p red brown	"
Reprints.	
<i>188</i> 7.	
Blue wove paper.	25 varieties
231 6p brown EIGHT PENCE. (Ma	
1º Blue wove paper.	ay 10tii, 1053.)
232 8p yellow	50 varieties
233 8p orange yellow Principal variety: No	floreate ornament
at the right of the word '	'South" (No. 21 on
plate.)	
234 8p yellow 235 8p orange yellow	
2º Blue ribbed paper	
236 8p orange yellow	50 varieties
Principal variety: No at the right of the word "	South."
237 8p orange yellow,	50 varieties

563 Reprints. 1887. Blue wove paper. 38 8p yellow 39 8p orange yellow 238 50 varieties 239 February 1st, 1854. Engraved on white wove paper, same types as preceding issue. The 2 pence is printed from plate I retouched. Watermarked double lined numerals corresponding to the values of the stamps. Ip orange 240 50 varieties 241 2p blue 242 2p deep blue " 43 3p green
44 3p deep green

Principal varieties:
a. 'Wale' (No. 9 on plate). 243 245 Ip orangeb. No florcate ornament at the right of the word 'South' (Nos, 7 and 21 on plate). 246 Ip orange c. The upper leaf of the floreate ornament at the right of 'South' is missing (No. 15 on plate). d. 'Waces' (No. 37 on plate). 3p green 3p deep green 248 249 1854. Engraved in taille douce on white wove paper, Size 25x25mm.

Watermarked double lined numerals corresponding to the values of the stamps. 5p blue green 5p yellow green 250 251 6p gray 6p yellow brown 252 253 254 6p sage green 8p orange 255 Ish red 256 257 1sh brick red Varieties: a. Error of watermark. 6p gray, watermarked "8" 6p yellow brown, watermarked "8" 1sh brick red, watermarked "8"

258 258a 259

b. Errors of color. 5p blue 8p red 260 Both of these are probably color changelings Engraved on white wove paper. Size 19x23mm. Watermarked double lined numerals.



ip vermilion 262 263 Ip red 2p blue 2p dark blue 264 265 3p green 3p yellow green 3p blue green 266 267 268 Varieties:

a. Errors of watermark.

269 2p blue, watermarked I 270 2p blue 2p blue 8 271 b. Unwatermarked.

2p dark blue

273 2p dark blue
This stamp is in the Tapling collection.

c. Rouletted.

274 2p blue d. Watermarked single lined numeral '2'.

275 2p blue
This variety is given on the authority of Major Evans.

1860-63.

Same type as issue of 1856 for the 1, 2 and a pence; same as issue of 1851 for the 1, 2 and 2 pence; same as issue of 1851 for the 5,6, 8p and 1 shilling and new type for the 5 shillings, engraved on white wove paper.

I. Watermarked double lined numeral.





1º Perforated 12. Ip vermilion 276 277 278 Ip red 2p blue 3p green 3p emerald green 5p blue green 279 280 281 5p yellow green 282 6p gray 6p lilac 283 284 285 6p violet 286 8p orange 8p deep yellow 8p pale yellow 287 288 289 1sh carmine 1sh rose 200 201 1sh brick red 5sh purple

Varieties:

a. Errors of watermark. 6p lilac, watermarked 12 1sh brick red watermarked 8 293 294

2º Perforated 121/2. Ip vermilion 205 296 Ip red 2p blue 297 298 3p green 3p yellow green 299 3p emerald green 300 301 5p yellow green 6p gray 6p lilac 302 303 304 6p violet 305 8p orange 8p deep yellow 8p pale yellow 306 307 308 1sh carmine 309 1sh rose 1sh brick red 310 311 5sh purple
Variety: Error of watermark. 3p green, watermarked '6' 312 3º Perforated 13. Ip vermilion 313 ip red 2p blue 314 315 3p green 316 3p yellow green 317 318 3p emerald green 319 5p yellow green 6p gray 6p violet 320 321 322 8p orange 8p deep yellow 8p pale yellow 323 324 325 1sh carmine 326 1sh rose 327 1sh brick red 328 5sh purple Varieties: a. Errors of watermark. 3p green, watermarked '6' op violet "' 329 b. Imperforate.

331 5sh purple
This stamp is catalogued in the work of "The Stamps of Oceania" but an unsevered pair has never been seen; this variety is considered by many authorities as being a trimmed perforated stamp,

c. Imperforate vertically.

332 6p violet

d. Imperforate horizontally.

ish carmine 333

4º Perforated 12x13.

334 2p blue

II. Watermarked single lined numeral (1863).

1º Perforated 12.

1p pale red 1p dark red

336

2º Perforated 121/2. 337 ip red

338 Ip dark red

3º Perforated 13.

Ip red

1p dark red 340

1862-64.

Typographed on white wove paper surfaced and unsurfaced. Size: 13½x22½mm.





A. Surfaced paper. I. Unwatermarked. 34I 342 II. Watermarked single lined numeral. Perforated 14. Ip red (1864) 343 B. Unsurfaced paper. I. Unwatermarked. 1º Perforated 121/2. 1p red (1864) 2p blue (1863) 344 345 2º Perforated 13. 346 Ip red 347 2p blue Variety: Perforated on one side only. 3° Perforated 14. Ip red II. Watermarked single lined numeral corresponding to the value of the stamps. 1º Perforated 121/2. Ip red 350 351 2p b 2p blue a. Errors of watermark. rp red, watermarked '2'
2p blue '' '1' 2p blue " This last is catalogued on the authority of the work on the Stamps of Oceania. double lined '3' b. Unperforated. 2p blue c. Brown gum. 356 Ip red 2º Perforated 13. Ip red 358 2p blue Variety: Error of watermark. 2p blue, watermarked '1' 3º Perforated 14. Ip red III. Watermarked double lined numeral '2' 1º Perforated 12. 2p blue 2º Perforated 121/2. 362 2p blue 3º Perforated 13. 2p blue 363 4º Perforated 13x12. 364 2p blue Variety: Error of watermark. 2p blue, watermarked '5' 365 1867.

ponding to the value of the stamps.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size

13½x22½mm. Watermarked single lined numeral corresF

1º Perforated 121/2. 4p red brown 10p lilac 366 367 2º Perforated 13. 4p red brown 10p lilac 368 369 Varieties: a. Imperforate. 4p red brown 370 10p lilac 371 b. Imperforate vertically. 372 10p lilac 1871-78.

Same types, paper, etc. as preceding issues for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8p and 5 shilling stamps. The 6p and 1sh stamps are of new type and the op is of the same type as the rop of preceding issue but surcharged horizontally in black "NINE PENCE".

Watermarked small Crown & N.S.W., except the 5 sh, which is watermarked double-lined numeral.









1º Perforated 10. ip dull red (1871) 374 375 376 377 Ip red 2p blue 2p dark blue 3p green (1872) 4p red brown (1878) 378 5p dark blue green (1878) 6p lilac (1878) 8p vellow " 379 380 381 8p yellow op red brown and black (1871) 382 (1876)383 Ish black 384 5sh I 5sh lilac (1876)a. Imperforate. 385 386 2p blue 5p dark blue green 387 6p lilac 388 8p yellow 389 Ish black b. Brown gum. 390 c. Part perforate. 2p blue 5p dark blue green 391 392 6p lilac 393

8p yellow 395 Ish black d. Perforated in centre. Ip red 2º Perforated 121/2. Ip dull rose 397 398 Ip red 2p blue 2p dark blue 399 400 3p green 4p red brown 401 402 6p lilac 403 8p yellow 404 9p red brown and black 405 406 ish black 3º Perforated 10x111/2. 407 5p dark blue green 408 5sh lilac 4° Perforated 10x12½.
1p dull rose 409 1p red 2p blue 410 411 412 3p green 4p red brown 413 5p dark blue green 6p lilac 414 415 416 8p yellow 1sh black 417 5° Perforated 111/2. 5p dark blue green 6º Perforated 11x12. 9p red brown and black 419 1882-88.

Same type, paper and impression as preceding issues. Watermarked large Crown and N.S.W., except the 5sh, which is watermarked double-lined numeral.



# NSW

2p blue 422 2p dark blue 423 3p yellow green 424 3p dark green 425 426 4p red brown 5p dark blue green 6p lilac 427 428 8p yellow Ish black 429 430 43I 5sh lilac 5sh violet 432 Variety: Double impression. 3p yellow green 433 2º Perforated 11. Ip red 434 2p blue 435 436 4p red brown 6p lilac 437 438 8p yellow 439 1sh black 440 5sh lilac 3º Perforated II1/2. Ip red 44I 6p blue 442 4º Perforated 12. Ip red 443 2p blue 444

6p lilac

445

1º Perforated 10.

Ip red

420

421

Ip dull rose

9p red brown and black 5º Perforated 13. Ip red 2p blue 448 3p green 449 4p red brown 6p lilac 450 45I 8p yellow 452 6º Perforated 10x11. 453 Ip red 454 3p green 455 4p red brown 456 5p dark blue green 6p lilac 457 458 ish black 7º Perforated 10x12. 2p blue 459 3p green 5p dark blue green 460 461 6p lilac 462 8º Perforated 11 1/2 x10. 3p green 4p red brown 463 464 465 5p green 9º Persorated 11x111/2. 466 4p red brown 10º Perforated 11x12. 467 1p red 2p blue 468 2p dark blue 469 4p red brown 6p lilac 1sh black 470 47 I 472 5sh lilac 473 11º Perforated 121/2 x10. Ip dull rose 474 475 Ip red 476 2p blue 2p dark blue 477 12º Perforated 121/2 x 11. 6p lilac 9p red brown and black 479 13° Perforated 10x111/2x12. 6p lilac 480

The lists of perforations of the stamps with small and large crown as given above are undoubtedly incomplete, giving only those stamps seen by us.

1885.

Provisional issue.

Revenue stamps surcharged horizontally "POSTAGE." Sixe 22x38mm.
Bluish wove paper.

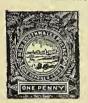
# Watermarked

# NSW

#### I. Black surcharge.



1º Perforated 111/2. 10sh lilac and carmine, (Nov. 23rd 1885) £1 lilac and carmine (Nov. 23rd 482 1885) 2º Perforated 12x10. 5sh lilac and green (Dec. 12th, 1885) 10sh lilac and carmine 483 485 £1 lilac and carmine II. Blue surcharge. Perforated 12x111/2. 10sh lilac and carmine 1886. Provisional issue. Same type as preceding regular issues but printed on bluish wove paper intended for fiscal stamps. Watermarked N. S. W., measuring 20x7 mm., extending thus over two stamps. The four corner stamps of the sheet are unwatermarked, and the other eight stamps at every side are watermarked with part of "New South Wales." 1º Perforated 10. Ip red 2p blue 488 2º Perforated IIXI2. 489 Ip red 490 2p blue 1888-91. Centennial issue. Typographed on white wove paper. Size:











503



1º Perforated 12. Perforated 12.

Ip violet (July 9th, 1888)

2p blue (Sept. 1st, 1888)

4p red brown (Oct. 4th, 1888)

6p red (Nov. 26th 1888)

8p mauve (Jan. 17th 1889)

1sh brown violet (Feb 20th 492 493 494 495 (Feb 20th 1889) 496 2º Perforated IIXI2. Ip violet 497 498 2p blue 499 500 4p red brown 6p red 8p mauve 1sh brown violet 3º Perforated 12x111/2. Ip violet

2p blue 4p red brown 505 4º Perforated IIXII1/2. 506 Ip violet 2p blue 507 4p red brown 508 509 6p red 8p mauve 510 Varieties: a. Imperforate. 11 2p blue b. Perforated in centre. 511 512 1sh black

Watermarked double lined "5".





Perforated 10. 5sh violet 20sh blue 513 514 October, 1888. Provisional issue. Same type as preceding issue but printed on fiscal paper. Blue wove paper. Watermarked N. S. W. Perforated IIXI2. Ip violet 516 2p blue

January 1st, 1890. Same type, impression and paper a; preceding issue.



1º Perforated 10. 5sh lilac 2º Perforated 12. 5sh lilac 518 3º Perforated 10x11. 5sh lilac 519

#### II. Watermarked



4º Perforated 10. 520 20sh blue 1891.

I. Regular issue.

Typographed on white wove paper. The 3 pence is of the same type as preceding issues. Size 18x221/2 mm. Watermarked large Crown and N. S. W.



1º Perforated 12.

52I 2½p blue

2º Perforated IIXI2.

522 2½p blue

3º Perforated 12x111/2.

523 2½p blue

4º Perforated 10.

Watermarked single lined numerals "10".

524 3p green

II. Provisional issue.

1 penny, 6 pence and 1 shilling stamps of 1882-88 issue, printed in different colors and surcharged with new value in black.

Waterparked large Crown and N. S. W.

Watermarked large Crown and N. S. W.







1º Perforated 10.

525 ½p on 1p gray, black surcharge 526 7½p on 6p brown " 527 12½p on 1sh red "

2º Perforated IIXI2.

528 ½p on 1p gray, black surcharge 529 7½p on 6p brown " 530 12½p on 1sh red "

Variety: Imperforate.

531 ½p on 1p gray, black surcharge

Same type as the I penny stamps of preceding regular issue, typographed on white wove

Watermarked large Crown and N. S. W.

1º Perforated 11x12.

532 ½p gray

2º Perforated 12.

½p gray

5º Perforated IIXII1/2.

½p gray

#### UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.

Typographed on white wove paper, water-marked large Crown and N. S. W. Size 19x 24 mm.



Perforated 10.

½p green (1893)

602 Ip .. 603 2p

601

604 3p

605 4p 606 6р

607 8p

608 5sh

609 Iosh

610 20sh

# REGISTRATION STAMPS.

January 1st, 1856.

Engraved on white wove paper, frame in blue, head in red or orange. There is only one plate of this stamp, composed of 50 stamps in 5 horizontal rows of 10 stamps each. The value of the stamp is 6 pence but it is not expressed on the stamp.

701 orange and blue 50 varieties

702 red and blue



Variety: Frame printed on both sides but head on one side only. red and blue 703

Reprints.

1887.

White wove paper,

704 orange and blue 50 varieties 705 red and blue

1860.

707

Same type impression, etc., as preceding issue.

1º Perforated 12.

orange and blue 50 varieties red and blue " 706

2º Perforated 121/2.

orange and blue 50 varieties red and blue "" 708

709 3º Perforated 13.

orange and blue 50 varieties red and blue " 710

711

Same type, etc., as preceding issue. Watermarked double lined "6."

1º Perforated 121/2.

58 varieties red and blue 712

2º Perforated 13.

red and blue 50 varieties

#### OFFICIAL STAMPS.

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Variety: Double surcharge.
  January 1st, 1880,
                                                                  B. Black surcharge.
                                                                           ish black
  Regular adhesives of corresponding date
surcharged O. S.
                                                                     I. Watermarked single lined "10."
  A. Red surcharge.
                                                                     Perforated 11x12.
   I. Watermarked small crown and N.S.W.
                                                                          10p lilac
    1º Perforated 121/2.
                                                                     This stamp has only been seen surcharged
8от
        2p blue
                                                                   "Specimen.
802
        3p green
803
        8p yellow
                                                                     II. Watermarked large crown and N.S.W.
        9p on 10p red brown and black
804
                                                                       1º Perforated 10.
        ish black
                                                                   846
                                                                           Ip red
    2º Perforated 10.
                                                                           2p blue
                                                                   847
        5p dark blue green
806
                                                                   848
                                                                           3p green
   Variety: Surcharge inverted.
                                                                   849
                                                                           4p red brown
        5p dark blue green
                                                                           5p dark blue green
                                                                   850
    3° Perforated 11½.
9p on 10p red brown and black
                                                                           6p lilac
                                                                   851
                                                                           8p yellow
                                                                   852
  II. Watermarked double lined "5."
                                                                       2º Perforated II.
  Perforated 121/2
                                                                   853
                                                                           5p dark blue green
       5p dark blue green
                                                                   854
                                                                           6p lilac
  III. Watermarked single lined "10.".
                                                                   855
                                                                           8p yellow
  Perforated 121/2.
                                                                       3º Perforated 12x10.
810 1op lilac
B. Black surcharge.
                                                                   856
                                                                           Ip red
                                                                           2p blue
                                                                   857
  I. Watermarked small crown and N.S. W.
                                                                        4º Perforated IOXI2.
    1º Perforated 121/2.
                                                                   858
                                                                           3p green
                                                                   859
                                                                           4p red brown
811
       Ip red
        2p blue
                                                                   86ó
                                                                           6p lilac
812
        2p dark blue
813
                                                                   86I
                                                                           8p yellow
814
        3p green
                                                                       5º Perforated 10x11.
        3p yellow green
4p red brown
6p lilac
815
                                                                   862
                                                                           5p dark blue green
816
                                                                   863
                                                                           6p lilac
817
                                                                       6º Perforated 12.
818
        8p yellow
                                                                   864
                                                                           4p red brown
     2º Perforated 121/2 x10.
                                                                       7º Perforated IIXI2.
819
        Ip red
                                                                           1p red
820
        2p blue
                                                                           2p blue
                                                                   866
        2p dark blue
821
                                                                   867
                                                                           3p green
        3p green
3p yellow green
4p red brown
822
                                                                           4p red brown
                                                                   868
823
                                                                           6p lilac
                                                                   869
824
                                                                           op on 10p red brown and black
                                                                   870
        6p lilac
825
                                                                     This last one has only been seen surcharged
    3º Perforated 10.
                                                                   "Specimen."
        Ip red
826
        2p blue
827
                                                                       8º Perforated II1/2.
                                                                          5p dark blue green
828
        2p dark blue
829
        3p green
                                                                       9º Perforated II 1/2 x10.
        3p yellow green
4p red brown
830
                                                                           6p lilac
831
                                                                     III. Watermarked double lined "5."
        5p blue green
832
                                                                       1º Perforated 10.
833
        6p lilac
834
        '8p yellow
                                                                           5sh lılac
                                                                       2º Perforated 11.
    4º Perforated 111/2.
        3p green
                                                                   874
                                                                          5sh lilac
836
        3p yellow green
                                                                     1886.
  II. Watermarked double lined "5."
                                                                     Adhesive stamps of corresponding date
  Perforated 121/2.
                                                                   printed on fiscal paper, surcharged O.S. in
       5sh lilac
837
                                                                  black.
                                                                     Bluish wove paper.
Watermarked N. S. W.
  Regular adhesives of corresponding date
surcharged O. S.
                                                                     Perforated 10.
  A. Red surcharge.
                                                                          Ip red
  Watermarked large crown and N. S. W.
                                                                  876
                                                                          2p blue
    1º Perforated 10.
                                                                     1889.
838
       3p green
8p yellow
1sh black
                                                                     Adhesives of corresponding date surcharged
839
                                                                  O.S.
840
                                                                     A. Black surcharge.
    2º Perforated 10x121/2.
                                                                     I. Watermarked crown and N. S. W.
       1sh black
                                                                       1º Perforated 12.
    3º Perforated 121/2.
                                                                          Ip violet
                                                                  877
       9p on 10p red brown and black
                                                                          2p blue
                                                                  878
    4º Perforated IIxI2.
                                                                           4p red brown
                                                                  879
843
       1sh black
                                                                          6p red
                                                                  880
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881 8p mauve Perforated 10. 897 Ish brown violet 882 1sh brown violet Perforated IIXI2. II. Watermarked double lined "5." 883 Ip violet Perforated 10. 884 2p blue 5sh violet 898 4p red brown 885 1801. 886 6p red 887 Adhesives of corresponding date surcharged 8p mauve 1sh brown violet O.S. Variety: Surcharged "O" only. Black surcharge. 889 Ip violet Watermarked crown and N. S. W. 3º Perforated IIXI21/2. 1º Perforated 10. 890 6p red 899 ½p on 1p gray and black 900 7½p on 6p brown and black 901 12½p on 1sh red and black II. Watermarked double lined "5." Perforated 10. 2º Perforated 12. 891 5sh violet 2½ p blue 902 III. Watermarked N. S. W. 3° Perforated IIXI2. Bluish wove paper. ½p on 1p gray and black 2½p blue 7½p on 6p brown and black 903 1º Perforated 111/2. 904 rosh lilac and carmine, black surcharge 905 893 I£ lilac and carmine 906 121/2p on 1sh red and black 2º Perforated II1/2 xI2. 10sh lilac and carmine, blue surcharge 1892. 894 Regular adhesives of corresponding date surcharged in black O. S. 895 Ι£ 3º Perforated IIXI2. 896 5sh lilac and green, black surcharge Watermarked crown and N. S. W. B. Red surcharge.

I. Watermarked large crown and N. S. W. Perforated IIXI2. ½p gray

## LETTER SHEETS.

#### For the City of Sidney.

November 1st, 1838.

Embossed without color on various papers, the stamp being in the centre of upper part of sheet when folded as an envelope. The value of the stamp is one penny, although it is not expressed on the stamp.



1° White wove paper.
Size 300x225 mm.
1001 (1p) white
2° Blue laid paper.
Size 300x225 mm.
1002 (1p) blue

Reprints,
1870.

Yellowish white wove paper.
Size 285x225mm,
1003 (1p) white

## ENVELOPES.

#### A. SOLD BY THE POST OFFICE

# A. For the City of Sidney.

November 1st, 1838.

The stamp is of the same type as the letter sheet, embossed on various papers.

I. White wove paper, 1° Size 117x70 mm.

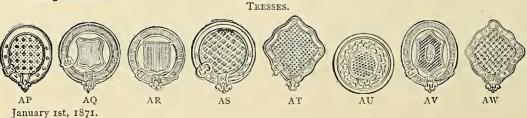
mm. 2º Size 140x63 mm.

The first of these is catalogued by Mr. Moens, and the second by Major Evans.

II. Blue laid paper. Size?

This is chronicled by Mr. Philbrick, who has a cut specimen on which the vergures are slanting, thus proving it to be an envelope.

#### B. For general use.



Stamp typographed in upper right corner on various papers.



I. White laid paper.

Size 137x78 mm.

Rounded flap. Ip dull red, 1104 tress AP 1105 AQ Ip " 1106 AR Ip AS 1107 Ip " 1108 AT Ip 1100 AU Ip ΑV IIIÓ ID IIII AW ID " without tress III2 Ιp

II. White laid batonne paper.

Size 141x79 mm.

Pointed flap. Ip dull red, tress? 1113

Ip dull red, without tress

This last envelope has been seen water-marked "?OYNSON" in doubled lined letters, 1872

but, as this is undoubtedly a trade mark of the manufacturer of the paper, it only deserves a passing notice.

September, 1881.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white laid paper.



Size 142x78 mm. 2p blue, tress?
2p blue, without tress 1115

# REGISTRATION ENVELOPES.

January, 1880. Stamp typographed on flap; linen lined envelope; flap to left, inscriptions in vermilion, name of maker "McCorquodale & Co., patentees" under the flap.



1º Size 131x84 mm.

4p rose

2º Size 153x97 mm.

1302 4p rose
Variety: Without stamp.

No value

T880.

I. Stamp of same type as preceding issue, typographed on upper flap, linen lined envelope, inscriptions in vermilion, without name of maker under the flap.

1º Lower flap is pointed.

Size 144x87 mm.

4p rose, greenish white 4p rose, rosy white 1305

1888-89.

Typographed in upper right corner on white laid paper, without tress.





1º Size 142x79 mm.

Ip violet

2° Size 137x78 mm.

1118 Ip violet

1119 2p blue

1892.

Stamp same type as corresponding value of same date, typographed in upper right corner on white laid paper.

Size 140x83mm.

1120 ½p gray

B. PRINTED TO ORDER.

Stamp of same type as the regular issue of corresponding date.

Blue laid paper.

Size?

1201 Ip red

1888.

Stamps of the same type as the regular issue of corresponding date.

1° White wove paper.

Size 142x79 mm. 1202

2º Blue laid paper.

Size 140x78 mm.

Ip violet 1203

2p blue 3° White laid paper. 1204

Size 139x80 mm.

1205 1p x Ip violet 4° Creamish laid paper.

Size 150x83mm.

1206 Ip x Ip violet

4p rose, bluish white 1306

2º Lower flap is rounded.

Size 149x88 mm.

1307 4p rose

1889-1890.

Stamp of same type as preceding issue, typographed on flap, linen lined envelope, flap to right, inscriptions in vermilion, name of maker "McCorquodale & Co., patentees," under the flap.

1° Size 131x83 mm.

1308 4p rose

2º Size 152x97 mm.

1309 4p rose

3° Size 225x100 mm.

1310 4p rose (1889)

End of 1891.

Provisional issue.

Envelopes of preceding issue surcharged horizontally with new value across stamp and original value obliterated by a black bar.



1º Size 131x83 mm.

1311 3p on 4p rose, black surcharge Varieties:

a. Without bar.

1312 3p on 4p rose, black surcharge b. "THREE PENCE" below the orginal

3p on 4p rose, black surcharge 1313

2º Size 152x98 mm.

1314 3p on 4p rose, black surcharge

Variety: Without bar.

3p on 4p rose, black surcharge 3° Size 225x100 mm.

1316 3p on 4p rose, black surcharge

# A. SOLD AT THE POST OFFICE.

April 1st, 1864.

Embossed on various papers in sheets of eight, in two horizontal rows of four; across the lower part of lower wrappers is a watermark consisting of the letters N. S. W. in fancy capitals, with ornaments at each end and a border formed of a chain work running between two horizontal lines.



I. With watermark,

Size 120x294 mm.

1º Thin yellowish white wove paper.

Ip red

2º Thick white wove paper.

1402 Ip red

3° White laid paper.

1403 Ip red

II. Without watermark.

Size 120x294mm.

10 Thin yellowish white wove paper.

1404 Ip red

2º Thick white wove paper.

1405 Ip red

3º White laid paper.

1406

February 28th, 1865.

Typographed on white laid paper, each sheet being composed of eight wrappers. The lower ones have the same watermark as in the preceding issue.



1º With watermark.

Size 120x294mm.

1407

7 Ip red 2° Without watermark.

Size 120x294mm.

1408 Ip red

1869.

Stamp of the same type as preceding issue, with additional watermark vertically across each wrapper "ONE PENNY" in double lined capitals.

Variety: Bar above value.

1317 3p on 4p rose, black surcharge

January, 1892.

Stamp, of same type as the preceding reg-ular issue, typographed on flap, linen lined envelope, inscriptions in vermilion.

I. With makers name "McCorquodale &

Co., patentees" under the flap.

1º Size 134x83 mm. 1318

8 3p rose 2° Size 152x98 mm.

1319 3p rose
II. Without makers' name.

Size 152x98 mm.

1320 3p rose

#### WRAPPERS.

1º With watermark N. S. W., etc.

Size 120x294mm.

Ip red 1409

II. Without watermark N. S.W., etc.

Size 120x294mm.

1410 Ip red

1872.

Stamp and paper are the same as preceding

I. Watermarked Kangaroo and Emu.

Size 120x294mm.

I4II Ip red

II. Watermarked Kangaroo, Emu and letters A. P.

Size 120x294mm.

Ip red

These last two wrappers are only found surcharged "Specimen."

1887.

Stamp typographed on grayish white laid batonné paper, watermarked "ONE PENNY" vertically across each wrapper, N. S. W., with fancy frame at bottom of four lower wrappers of the sheet.

I. With watermark N. S. W. etc.

Size 120x294mm.

Ip red 1413

II. Without watermark N. S. W. etc.

Size 120x294mm.

Ip red 1414

1888.

Stamp typographed on grayish white laid paper with same watermark as preceding



I. With watermark N. S. W. etc.

Size 120x294 mm.

Ip violet 1415

II. Without watermark N. S. W. etc. Size 120x294 mm.

Ip violet 1416

1892.

I. Provisional issue.

Stamp of 1887 issue typographed on grayish white laid paper, with same watermark as preceding issue and stamp surcharged "HALF PENNY" in black.



Size 120x294 mm.

1417 ½p on 1p gray, black surcharge
All those that we have seen have watermark "N. S. W. etc." at top instead of bottom of the wrapper, and we have not seen
any without this watermark.

II. Regular issue.

Stamp same type as 1887 issue, typographed on white laid paper, watermarked "ONE PENNY."

# OFFICIAL ENVELOPES.

August 22d, 1883.

Regular envelopes of corresponding date with stamp surcharged in black "O. S."

I. Yellowish white laid paper.

1º Size 142x78 mm.

1 p vermilion red, black surcharge
2 p blue, black surcharge TOOT

1602

2° Size 120x95 mm. 3 2p blue, black surcharge

II. Bluish white laid paper.

Ip dull red 1604

III. Pale lavender, wove paper.

Size?

1p dull red 1605

1606 2p blue

January 1st, 1885. Stamp typographed on glazed or unglazed white laid paper.



I. Glazed paper. Size 137x79 mm. 507 Ip vermilion red 1607 II. Ordinary unglazed paper.

Size 142x79 mm. 1608 Ip brick red

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION ENVELOPES.

May 23d, 1889.

Stamp, of the same type as adhesive stamp of 1872 issue with "O. S." in upper corners, typographed on white laid paper; inscription in black.



Size 225x96 mm. 1701 6p mauve

Stamp of same type as adhesive of corresponding issue, with O. S. in upper corners; typographed on white laid paper; inscriptions in red.

Size 120x294. 1418 ½p gray

B. PRINTED TO ORDER.

Stamp, of the same type as adhesive of corresponding issue, typographed on wove paper of various colors.

Size 140x220 mm.

ip violet, rose paper
ip violet, yellow paper TSOT 1502 Ip violet, salmon paper 1503 Ip violet, green paper Ip violet, blue paper 1504 1505

These wrappers were printed for the National Association of Sheepbreeders of Australasia.

August 2d. 1888.

Stamp typographed on various papers.



I. White laid paper. 1º Size 120x95 mm.

1609 Ip violet

2º Size 225x96 mm. тбто

Ip violet

II. Blue wove paper.

Size?

Ip violet 1611

October 15th, 1888.

Regular envelopes of corresponding date surcharged "O. S." in black.

White laid paper.

1° Size 138x78 mm.

1612 Ip violet

1613 2p blue 2º Size 142x79mm.

1614 Ip violet

1893.

Stamps of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue but with "O. S." in upper angles.

Size 225x96 mm.

2p blue, white laid paper 2p blue, bluish laid paper 1615

1616 1617

4p brown, white laid paper



1° Stamp on flap. Size 220x96 mm. 1702 6p carmine

2° Stamp in upper right corner. Size 222x87 mm.

1703 6p carmine

1893.

Stamp, of the same type as preceding issue for the 6 pence and as the current 4 pence adhesive for the 5 pence envelope, with O.S. in upper corners, typographed on white or bluish white wove paper; Coat of Arms of

Great Britain on flap, inscriptions in black, seal and crossed lines in color.

A. Seal and lines in vermilion, large seal on flap.



I. Bluish white wove paper. Size 225x98 mm.

1704 5p green 6p carmine 1705 II. White wove paper. Size 225x98 mm. 1706 5p green 6p carmine 1707 B. Seal in brick red. White wove paper. Size 225x98mm. 1708 5p green C. Small seal on flap, impression in vermilion Bluish wove paper.

Size 225x98mm. 1709 5p green

#### COUNTERFEITS.

With the exception of some forgeries of the Sydney Views, we do not know of any good counterfeits of the stamps of this Colony. Some forgeries of the Sydney Views, however, are so well executed as to be exceedingly dangerous even to good collectors. It will be impossible to describe the differences between the counterfeits and the genuine, there being so many varieties of the latter, and who knows how many of the former. The only way to satisfy ones self of the nature of a doubtful specimen is to compare it with the plates of these stemps, which can contain the plates. of these stamps, which are contained herein.

# NEW ZEALAND.

Currency: 12 PENCE=1 SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS=1 =\$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

July 13th, 1855.

Engraved on white wove paper, sometimes by the chemical action of the ink. Printed by Messrs. Perkins, Bacon & Co., of London, Size 19x25mm.

Watermarked six rayed star.





1º White wove paper.

Ip carmine red

2p blue 2

1sh deep green

2º White wove paper, blued by the chemical action of the ink.

4 2p blue

Ish deep green

1858-59.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on various papers, unwatermarked; printed by Mr. Richards of Auckland.

1º Blue wove paper.

6 Ip vermilion

2p blue

1sh green 3º Soft white wove paper, varying in thickness.

Ip orange IO

2p blue 2p dull blue ΙI

6p red brown 12

6p dark brown 13 Ish yellow green Ish blue green 14 15

(August, 1859)

c. Serrated perforation 16. (unofficial) 22 Ish green d. Perforated 13. (unofficially) 23 Ip orange 24 2p blue 25 2p ultramarine

Varieties:

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18

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a. Rouletted. (unofficially)

b. Pin perforated 10. (unofficially)

2p blue 6p dark brown

Ip orange 2p blue

6p brown ish green

26 2p lavender 27 6p brown 28 Ish blue green 1sh yellow green

3° Hard white wove paper, varying in thickness.

30 Ip orange 2p blue 31

2p pale blue 6p orange brown 6p brown 1sh pale green 32 33

34 35 36 1sh blue green

# Varieties:

a. Rouletted. (unofficially)

2p blue 37 38 6p brown

39 1sh pale green b. Pin perforated 10. (unofficially)

Ip orange 40

c. Serrated perforation 16. (unofficial)

Ip orange 42 2p blue

6p brown 43 44 Ish green

d. Perforated 13. (unofficially)

2p blue 6p black brown 45 46 6p red brown 47 1sh blue green

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Fel	oruary, 1862.	92 Ip ve	rmilion
	ne type as preceding issue, engraved on	93 2p bl	
	wove paper, printed in the Postmaster-		l brown
Gener	ral's office in Auckland.		ellow green
	termarked six rayed star.		lue green
49	1p orange vermilion	Varieties:	
50	2p chalky blue	a. Roulette	ed 51/2 to 8. (unofficially)
51	2p ultramarine		rmilion
52	6p red brown	98 2p bl	ıe
53	6p black brown		d brown
54	1sh yellow green		ellow green
55	1sh blue green	101 Ish b	lue green
	ricties:		ed 13. (unofficially)
	Rouletted 5½ to 8. (unofficially)		rmilion
56 57	1p orange vermilion 2p chalky blue	103 2p blu 104 6p red	l brown
58	6p red brown		ellow green
59	6p black brown	3	lue green
6ó	1sh yellow green	01.11	serrated perforation. (unofficial)
61	1sh blue green	107 Ish g	
b. 1	Pin perforated 16. (unofficially)	1863-66.	
62	Ip orange vermilion		
63	2p chalky blue	Same type	as preceding issue, engraved on
64	6p red brown	being on you	aper, varying in thickness, some
64a	Ish blue green	Watermark	thin (almost pelure) paper. ed six rayed star.
	Oblique serrated perforation. (unofficial)	Perforated	12½, 13 regular and compound.
65	6p red brown	108 Ip ve	rmilion
66	1sh yellow green	109 Ip ora	
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	thin unwatermarked wove paper (pe-	112 2p ch:	alky blue
lure).	T T u	113 3p vio	olet
67	Ip orange red		olet brown
68	2p ultramarine	115 3p lila	
69	2p lavender	116 4p ros	
70	6p brown	117 4p yel	
71	6p red brown		low orange (1866)
72	6p black brown	,	l brown
73	Ish green		ck brown
74	Ish dark green	122 Ish gr	
	rieties:	, 0	ellow green
	Rouletted 6. (unofficially.)		ırk green
75 76	op black brown	Varieties:	
77	Ish green	a. Unwater	marked.
78	1sh dark green	_	low orange
	Perforated 13. (unofficially).	b. Perforate	ed 121/2 at top, pin perforation
79	Ip orange red	at bottom and	
80	2p ultramarine	126 6p bla	ck brown
81	2p lavender	July 1st, 18	71.
82	6p black brown		paper and watermark as pre-
83	1sh dark green	ceding issue,	but the colors of the stamps
_	uary 1st, 1863.	changed.	
	ame type as preceding issue, engraved	Watermarke	ed six rayed star.
	ite wove paper.	r° Perfor	
	ermarked six rayed star.	127 Ip bro	wn
84	3p violet	2º Perfor	ated 121/2, 13.
85 86	3p lilac 3p violet brown	128 Ip bro	
	. 7.7	128a Ip bis	tre
	ieties:		milion
	couletted 5½ to 8. (unofficially)	130 6p blu	e
87 88	3p violet 3p lilac	- Varieties:	
89	3p violet brown	a. Waterma	rked lozenges.
b. F	in perforated 16. (unofficially)	131 2p ver	milion
90	3p violet	b. Waterma	
-	Very thin unwatermarked wove paper	132 Ip bro	
(pelur		133 2p ver	
91	3p violet brown	c. Unwater	
186		134 Ip bro 135 2p ver	
	e type as preceding issue, engraved on	d. Imperfor	
	wove paper.	136 Ip bro	
	T.F.	137 2p ver	
West	ermarked . 🖊 🔀	138 6p blu	
VVEL	Cimaracu , V 1	~ ^ -	ate horizontally.
		139 6p blu	e (

f. Imperforate vertically. g. Perforated 13 at bottom and sides and 140 pin perforation at top 141 Ip brown 3º Perforated IOXI21/2, 13, irregularly. 142 Ip brown 1p bistre
2p vermilion
6p blue 142a 143 144 January 1st, 1874. Typographed on white wove paper. Size 181/2x22mm. Watermarked N. Z. and small five rayed truncated star. I. London print, fine impression on glazed paper. FOURPENCE 3 1º Perforated 121/2, 13. Ip lilac 145 2p rose 146 3p brown 147 148 4p maroon 6p blue 149 Ish green 150 2º Perforated II1/2. 151 Ip lilac 152 2p rose 153 3p brown 154 4p maroon 155 6p blue 156 Ish green 3º Perforated 121/2x111/2 irregularly. 157 2p rose 4º Perforated 10x121/2, 13, irregularly. 158 3p brown 5° Perforated 12. 6p blue 159 6º Perforated 14x121/2 irregularly. 160 2p rose

II. Colonial print.

A. White wove paper.

Coarse impression on ordinary paper.

1º Perforated 121/2, 13. 161 Ip lilac 162 2p rose 6p blue 163 164 Ish green 2º Perforated II1/2. Ip lilac 166 2p rose 2p lilac rose 168 1sh green 3° Perforated 12½, 13 irregularly.
4p red brown 169 6p blue 170 171 Ish green B. White wove paper, blued by chemical action of the ink. 1º Perforated 121/2. Ip lilac 2ρ rose 173 2º Perforated IOXI21/2. 174 Ip lilac 175 2p rose 4p red brown 176 177 6p blue Other perforations of these stamps undoubtedly exist, but the list we give above contains all those seen or heard of by us. Same type as preceding issue, typographed on white wove paper, unglazed.

Watermarked large six rayed star as first issue. Perforated 121/2. Ip lilac 178 2p rose 179 July 1st, 1878. Typographed on white wove paper, Watermarked N. Z. and small star.



Perforated 111/2. 180 2sh pink 181 5sh gray

April 1st, 1882.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18½x22mm.

Watermarked N. Z. and small star.















Perforated 111/2.

T82 1p rose 2p lilac 183

184 3p yellow 3p orange yellow 185

186 4p sea green 6p brown 8p blue 187

188

189 Ish red brown

Letters N. Z. of the watermark 51/2 mm apart instead of 4mm. 190 Ip rose

January 1st, 1891.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18x22mm.

Watermaked N. Z. and small star.



Perforated 111/2.

2½p blue 191

192 2½ pultramarine February 12th, 1891.

Typographed on white wove paper, Size 18x22mm.

Watermarked N. Z. and small star.



Perforated 111/2.

5p olive gray 193

1892.

Same type, paper, etc., as issues of 1882-91. Watermarked N. Z. and small star.

1º Perforated 10.

194 Ip rose 2p lilac 195

196 2½p blue

3p yellow 197

198 4p sea green 199 5p olive gray

200 6p brown ish red brown 201

2º Perforated 10x13.

Ip rose 202

3º Perforated 10x121/2 irregularly.

6p brown 203

Since 1893 these stamps are issued with various advertisements on the back, but as these have no philatelic interest they only deserve a passing notice; the printing of these advertisements was discontinued at the end of 1894.

# REVENUE STAMPS USED FOR POSTAGE.

1882-90.

I. Revenue stamps of the issue of 1861, white wove paper, watermarked N. Z. Size 21x37 mm.



Ip lilac, value in red
2sh red, value in green
6sh 8p blue, value in black
8sh red, value in green
9sh violet, value in red 301 302

303 304 305

II. Revenue stamps of 1868 issue, same type, paper and watermark as preceding issue.

Perforated 121/2, 10x121/2. 306 Ip lilac, value in green 307 Ip red green 308 2p green 309 2p green black 4p green 6p brown 310 311

6p brown, value in blue 8p blue, "black 312 313 8p blue, " 8p blue 314 red Ish violet " 315 green Ish 4p bistre, value in blue 316 317 1sh 6p bistre 2sh rose 2sh 6p bistre 318 319 2sh 10p brown 3sh mauve " 44 320 " green 321 3sh 4p bistre 322 blue 4sh rose 323 4sh 10p brown 5sh mauve 44 324 325 326 green 5sh 4p lilac 6sh rose blue 327 6sh 8p blue 7sh blue 328 red 329 7sh violet, value in red 330 7sh 6p blue black 331 7sh 6p purple "8sh red red 332 blue 333 9sh violet red334 blue 335 336 9sh gray Iosh red green 10sh red blue 337 338 15sh lilac 15sh lilac red 339 if pink "
if pink "
if 10sh red "
if 10sh brown"
2f orange "
2f 10sh pink "
3f red " 340 blue 341 green 342 blue 343 344

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III. Revenue stamps of 1880 issue, white wove paper, watermarked N. Z. Size 18½x 221/2 mm.



Perforated 12x111/2. 346 Ip lilac Ip blue 347

IV. Revenue stamps of 1881 issue; white wove paper, watermarked N. Z. and small truncated star. Size 21 1/2 x 37mm.



Perforated 12, 12½.
48 4p red brown
49 6p red 348 349 8p dark green 350 351 1sh rose 2sh blue 352 2sh 6p dark brown 353 354 3sh violet 4sh rose lilac 355 356 4sh brown red 357 5sh green 6sh rose 7sh blue 358 359 7sh 6p dark gray brown 8sh blue 360 361 362 9sh orange 10sh rose brown 363 364 15sh green 15sh gray

1£ rose
30sh violet brown 365 366 367 368 1£ 15sh yellow



369 2£ mauve



March, 1873. Typographed on white wove paper. Size 16x19mm.

I. Watermarked N. Z.





2£ 10sh red brown 3£ green 4£ ultramarine 5£ blue 370 37I 372

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6£ orange
7£ brown red
8£ green
9£ rose
10£ blue 374 375 376 377

V. Land Deeds stamps of 1877 issue; white wove paper, watermarked N. Z. and truncated star.



Perforated 13. 379 1sh green

VI. Law Courts stamps of 1875 issue; white wove paper, watermarked N. Z. and small truncated star.



Perforated 13. 380 1sh green, value in red

# NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

1º Perforated 10. 50I ½p rose 2º Perforated 12. ½p rose 3º Perforated 10x12. 50**3** ½p rose 4º Perforated 13. 1/2 p rose
II. Unwatermarked. 1º Persorated 10.

½p rose

2º Perforated 12.

506 ½p rose

3º Perforated 10x12.

½p rose

Variety: Imperforate horizontally, perforated 12 vertically.

508 ½p rose

1875

Same type as preceding issue, typographed on white wove paper.

Watermarked small six rayed star.

1º Perforated 10.

½p rose

2º Perforated 12.

510 ½p rose

3º Perforated 10x12.

½p rose

4º Perforated 121/2.

512 ½p rose

Same type as preceding issue, typographed on the same paper as regular adhesive of corresponding date.

Watermarked N. Z. and small five rayed

truncated star.

Perforated 121/2.

Perforated 12½.
513 ½p rose
514 ½p deep rose
As the paper on which these stamps are printed was made for stamps of a larger size, some of the stamps of this issue are found without any watermark or only with the star; we have also seen blocks of 120 stamps (10 horizontal rows of 12 stamps) in which the last horizontal row but one was watermarked NEWZEALAND in double lined capitals leaving the stamp between W. and Z., unwatermarked, in some rows either the first or last stamp is also unwatermarked. or last stamp is also unwatermarked.
On the sheets of regular adhesives this water-

mark is found either in the border or between

the panes.

# RAILWAY NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

January 1st, 1890.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 23x29 mm.



3p brown

606 4p red

607

6p green ety: Vertically laid paper. Variety:

608 Ip lilac

# OFFICIAL STAMPS.

October, 1886.

Perforated 121/2.

½p black

Ip lilac

2p blue

3p yellow

601

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604

Typographed on white or colored wove paper. Size 21 1/2 x24 1/2 mm.

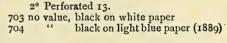


1º Imperforate.

701 no value, black on white paper 702 "rose violet on bluish paper

1891.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 23x30 mm.





Perforated 13. 705 no value, black

707

Regular adhesives of corresponding issue, surcharged diagonally "O. P. S. O." (on public service only) in violet.

Perforated 10.

706 Ip rose 2p lilac

5p olive green 708 709 бр brown

#### LIFE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

1891.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 18x22 mm. Watermarked N. Z. and small truncated star.



Perforated 111/2.

½p purple Ip blue 801

802

2p red brown 803

804

3p chocolate 6p green 805

806 1sh rose pink

1894,

Same type, impression, etc., as preceding

Perforated 10.

807 Ip blue

808 2p red brown

#### NEWSPAPER WRAPPERS.

April 1st, 1878.

Stamp, same type as newspaper adhesive, typographed to the right in upper part; above the stamp is an oblong label with single frame the corners of which are formed by ornaments, containing the following inscription in four lines: "This Wrapper may only be used for Newspapers, and must not enclose any letter or communication of the nature of a letter (whether separate or otherwise). this rule be infringed, letter rates will be charged."

Stout white wove paper,



Size 103x320mm.

901 ½p rose

September, 1880.

Stamp, impression, etc, same as preceding issue, ordinary yellowish wove paper, watermarked vertically two five-rayed stars with crown in centre and below in two lines, ONE HALF PENNY NEW ZEALAND in single lined capitals.

1° Size 107x280 mm.

902 ½p rose

2º Size 95x275 mm.

½p rose 903

1889.

Stamp, impression, paper and watermark same as preceding issue, but frame of label undulated instead of straight.

Size 96x280 mm.

904 ½p rose

#### OFFICIAL ENVELOPES.

October, 1886.

Stamp, same type as official adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed in upper right corner on various papers.



I. White laid paper.

1º "On Public Service only," measures 611/2 mm. in length.

Size 137x80 mm. no value, red " black 1001

2° "On Public Service only," measures 58mm. in length.

Size 136x79mm.

no value, black 1003

II. Bluish wove paper.

Size 137x80mm.

no value, black 1004

# TREASURY DEPARTMENT ENVELOPES.

October, 1886.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white laid paper.



I. White laid paper. Size 137x8omm. no value, black IOI

II. White wove paper.

Size 225x100mm.

1102 no value, black

III. White laid paper.



Size 221x95mm. Red oval seal on flap. no value, black

#### AUDIT DEPARTMENT ENVELOPES.

189 (?). Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white laid paper.



I. "On Public Service only," measures 92 mm. in length.
Size 220xy2mm.
1126 no value, black
II "On Public Service only" measures

II. "On Public Service only," measures 100mm. in length,
Size 220x 92mm.
Red oval seal on flap.

1127 no value, black

OFFICIAL WRAPPERS.

1885.

Coat of Arms of Great Britain, with following inscription: "On Public Service—New Zealand Gazette—Exempt from Postage" typographed in black on white or blue paper.

Size 160x325mm.

1201 no value, black on white paper

1202 "black on blue paper

189 (?).

Coat of arms with following inscription; "On Public Service only" above in curve and "New Zealand Gazette" below in straight line.

Blue wove paper.
Size 110x350mm.
1203 no value, black

II, Similar to preceding with "On Public Service only" in straight line and "New Zealand Gazette" in a scroll.

Blue wove paper.

Size (?)

1204 no value, black

III. Coat of arms with "On Public Service only" above in curve and below in two straight lines "Cover to be used by the

Government Printer only—New Zealand Parliamentary Debates."

1º Buff wove paper. Size 153x291mm.

1205 no value, black 2° White wove paper.

Size 153x291mm.

1206 no value, black

3º Blue wove paper. Size 153x291mm. 1207 no value, black

IV. Stamp typographed at right on buff wove paper.



Size 195x181mm.
1208 no value, black

# OFFICIAL STAMPED ADDRESS LABELS,

т886.

Label of yellowish white wove paper, with double lined frame; stamp, of same type as official adhesives of corresponding issue, printed in upper right corner; to the left of the stamp "On Public Service only"; at lower part of label "Printing and Stationery Departments,—Wellington, N. Z......18," Stamp, inscriptions etc., printed in black.



Size 127x83 mm. 1301 no value, black

1889

Same type as preceding issue but with "Wellington, N. Z....188."

White wove paper. Size 127x83mm.

1302 no value, black

1890.

Same as preceding issue but with "Wellington, N. Z....189."

Yellowish white wove paper.

Size 127x83mm.

1303 no value, black

## POST AND TELEGRAPH STORES LABELS.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on bluish wove paper, "On Public Service only" to the left of stamp, "New Zealand Post Office and Telegraph Stores, Wellington... 188.... in lower left corner.



Size 170x73mm. 1326 no value, black

#### GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE LABEL.

1889. Stamp typographed to the right on white wove paper; to the left of stamp "On Public Service only," and in lower left corner "Government Stationery Office, Wellington.....188."



Size 170x81mm. no value, black 1351

# OFFICIALLY SEALED STAMPS.

1890. Typographed in black on white or colored wove paper.



Perforated 121/2. no value, black on white paper

black on buff paper black on blue paper 1402 1403

COUNTERFEITS. We do not know of any good forgeries of the stamps of this colony, but revenue stamps from which the pen cancellation has been removed by some chemical and replaced by a forged postal cancellation are plentiful; generally some faint traces of the original pen cancellation may be detected by the aid of a strong glass, but as this is not always the case, collectors should be very cautious and only purchase these stamps from reputable and experienced dealers.

#### NICARAGUA.

Currency, 100 CENTAVOS=1 PESO=60 CENTS U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1862.

1401

Engraved on yellowish wove paper. Size 221/2 x181/2 mm.



Perforated 111/2 2c dark blue 5c black

1869-71.

Same type as preceding issue, engraved on white wove paper.





Perforated 12.

Ic brown (1871)3 2c dark blue

2c blue

5c black 10c vermilion

25c green

Variety: Imperforate vertically. 8a 10c vermilion

End of 1877-80.

Same type, paper, etc., as preceding issue.

#### Rouletted.

1c brown (April 1878)
2c dark blue (Sept. 1878)
5c black (End 1877)
10c vermilion (July 1880)
25c green (End 1879) IO

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# End of 1882.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 22½x25mm.



19 20c slate 20 50c violet

January 1st, 1890.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 21x25mm.



Perforated 12. ic brown 21 2c vermilion 5c blue 10c slate 22 23 24 20c red 50c violet 25 26 Ip dark brown 27 28 2p green 29 5p rose 30 10p orange

January 1st, 1891.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 21/2x281/2mm.



Perforated 12.

31 Ic yellow bistre
32 Ic reddish bistre
33 2c red
34 5c blue
35 Ioc slate
36 2oc rose
37 5oc purple
38 Ip brown
39 2p green
40 5p brown red
41 Iop orange

Variety: Error of color.

42 Ioc blue

January 1st, 1892.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 21x28mm.



Perforated 12.

43 Ic yellow brown

44 2c red

45 5c blue

46 Ioc slate

47 20c brown violet

48 50c purple

49 Ip brown

50 2p green

51 5p carmine

52 Iop orange

Variety: Imperforate vertically.

52a 20c brown violet

January 1st, 1893.
Typographed on white wove paper. Size 20½x26mm.



1º Perforated 12. Ic yellow brown 2c vermilion 55 56 5c dark blue 10c slate 57 58 20c red 50c violet 59 60 Ip dark brown 2p green 61 5p rose 62 10p orange Varieties: a. Imperforate horizontally.

63 1c yellow brown
b. Imperforate vertically. 2c vermilion c. Error of color. 2c dark brown 2º Perforated 14. 5c dark blue

January 1st, 1894.
Typographed on white wove paper. Size 19x23mm.



Perforated 12.

67 Ic yellow brown
68 2c vermilion
69 5c deep blue
70 Ioc slate
71 20c red
72 25c sea green
73 50c mauve
74 Ip brown
75 2p green
76 5p red brown
77 Iop orange

January 1st, 1895.

Typographed on white wove paper, size 20x23mm.



# OFFICIAL STAMPS.

January 1st, 1890.

Same type as regular adhesives of corresponding issue, but printed in ultramarine and surcharged in red

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201	ICI	ıltramarine,	red s	urcharg	e
202	2C	"	. "	"	•
203	5c	"	"	"	
204	IOC	"	"	"	
205	20C	"		"	
206	50c	" "	"	"	
207	Ip	* *		"	
208	2p	"	"	"	
200	5P	64	6.6	"	
210	Iop	6.6	"	6.	
Va	rieties				
	D				

a. Double surcharge, one over the other.
II Ic ultramarine, red surcharge
b. Double surcharge, one below the other.
Ic ultramarine, red surcharge

January 1st, 1891.

Same type as regular adhesives of corresponding issue, lithographed on white wov. paper and surcharged vertically in red FRANQUEO
OFICIAL
These stamps were print-

ed from four different plates, the first two consisting of 100 stamps in 10 horizontal rows of 10 stamps each and the last two consisting of 130 stamps in 13 horizontal rows of 10 stamps each; the first plate was formed of stamps of the 1 cent denomination; the second, of stamps of the 2 cent denomination; the third plate was formed of thirty 1 centavo stamps, and twenty-five each of the 20c, 50c, 2 and 10 pesos denominations; the fourth plate contained thirty 2 centavos stamps and twenty-five each of the 5, 10 centavos, I and 5 pesos; we give below diagrams of the 3rd and 4th plates.

:	50c	50c	50c	50c	50c	20c	20с	20c	20c	20c	-
1	50c	50c	50c	50c	50c	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	
i	50c	50c	50c	50c	50c	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	
-	50c	50c	50c	50c	50c	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	
-	50c	50c	50c	50c	50c	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	
	2p	2p	2p	2p	$^{2}$ p	<b>1</b> 0p	<b>1</b> 0p	10p	10p	<b>10</b> p	
	$^{2}$ p	$^{2}$ p	$^{2}\mathrm{p}$	2p	2p	10p	10p	10p	10p	<b>10</b> p	
	2p	2p	2p	2p	2p	10p	<b>1</b> 0p	10p	<b>10</b> p	10p	
-	2p	2p	2p	2p	2p	<b>1</b> 0p	10p	<b>1</b> 0p	<b>1</b> 0p	<b>1</b> 0p	
	2p	2p	2p	2p	$^{2}\mathrm{p}$	<b>1</b> 0p	<b>10</b> p	<b>10</b> p	<b>10</b> p	10p	
	1c	1c	1c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	1c	<b>1</b> c	1c	1c	
	<b>1</b> c	1c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	1c	<b>1</b> c	1c	1c	<b>1</b> c	1c	
-	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	1c	1c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	<b>1</b> c	1c	

Plate III.

10	matcu 12.
78	Ic yellow brown
79	2c vermilion
80	5c deep blue
81	roc slate
82	20c red
83	50c mauve
84	Ip brown
85	2p green
86	5p red brown
87	Iop orange
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Perforated to

<b>1</b> 0c	10c	<b>1</b> 0c	<b>1</b> 0c	5с	5с	5c	5c	5с
10c	10c	10c	10c	5c	5c	5c	5c	5c
<b>1</b> 0c	10c	10c	10c	5c	5c	5c	5с	5c
<b>1</b> 0c	10c	<b>10</b> c	<b>1</b> 0c	5с	5с	5c	5с	5с
10c	<b>1</b> 0c	<b>1</b> 0c	<b>1</b> 0c	5с	5с	5с	5с	5с
5р	5р	5р	5р	<b>1</b> p	1p	<b>1</b> p	1p	1р
5p	5р	5р	5p	<b>1</b> p	1р	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p
5p	5р	5p	5p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p
5р	5р	5р	5р	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	1p
5p	5р	5р	5р	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p	<b>1</b> p
2с	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c
2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c
2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c	2c
	10c 10c 10c 5p 5p 5p 5p 2c 2c	10c 10c 10c 10c 10c 10c 5p	10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c           5p         5p         5p           2c         2c         2c	10c         10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c         10c           10c         10c         10c         10c           5p         5p         5p         5p           2c         2c         2c         2c           2c         2c         2c         2c	10c         10c         10c         10c         5c           10c         10c         10c         10c         5c           10c         10c         10c         10c         5c           10c         10c         10c         5c         5p         1p           5p         5p         5p         5p         1p           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c	10c         10c         10c         10c         5c         5c           5p         5p         5p         1p         1p           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c	10c         10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           5p         5p         5p         1p         1p         1p           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c         2c           2c         2c         2c         2c         2c         2c	10c         10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c           10c         10c         10c         5c         5c         5c         5c         5c           5p         5p         5p         5p         1p         1p         1p         1p           5p         5p         5p         2c         2c <td< td=""></td<>

Plate IV.

#### Perforated 12.

213	IC g	reen,	red	surcharge
214	2C	"		"
215	5c	"		4.6
216	IOC	4.6		"
217	20C	"		"
218	50C	"		**
219	Ip	6.6		
220	2p	6.6		**
221	5P	**		6.6
222	IOD	66		**
	-			

#### Varieties: Without surcharge.

IC g	reen
2C	"
5c	"
IOC	"
20C	"
50C	"
Ip	"
2p	"
-	"
тор	"
	2c 5c 1oc 2oc 5oc 1p 2p 5p

January 1st, 1892.

Same type as regular adhesives of corresponding date, surcharged FRANQUEO OFICIAL in dark blue.



P	erforat	ed 12			
233	IC	light	brown,	dark	blue surcharge
234	2C	66	6.6	"	"
235	5c	"	"	"	"
236	IOC	"	66	"	"
237	200	"	66	"	"
238	50c	"	44	"	"
239	· Ip	"	"	6.6	"
240	<b>2</b> p	6.6	"	"	"
241	. 5p	6.6	"	6.6	"
242	Iop	"	6.6	"	"
7	T	. C	-1	-4 1	Aban Sustand . C

Variety: Surcharge at bottom instead of at top.

Ic light brown, dark blue surcharge 243 January 1st, 1893.

Same type as regular adhesives of corres-

# ponding date, surcharged

# FRANQUEO **OFICIAL**

horizontally in red. Perforated 12. 244 ic slate, red surcharge 245 2C 246 5c 247 Ioc 248 20c 249 25C 250 50c 25I 1p 252 2p " 253 254 rop Varieties:

a. Double surcharge. 2c slate, red surcharge 255

b. Without surcharge. 256 5p slate

January 1st, 1894.

Same type as regular adhesives of corresponding date surcharged horizontally FRAN-QUEO OFICIAL in black.

1888.

Stamp, same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, typographed in upper right corner on various papers.



Size 160x88mm.

5c blue, yellow laid paper 40I 10c violet, blue laid paper 402

End of 1889.

Provisional issue.
Toc envelopes of preceding issue surcharged in red with new value.





		- Participan		22/1999
Per	forate	ed 12.		
257	Ic		black s	urcharge
258	2C	"	6.6	• • •
259	5c	4.6	"	4.6
260	IOC	4.6	4.6	44
261	20c	6.6	44	44
262	25C	44	66	"
263	50c	"	"	44
264	Ip	"	"	"
265	2p	4.6	6.6	"
266	5p	"	6.6	4.6
267	Iop	"	6.6	"

January 1st, 1895.

Same type as regular adhesives of corres, ponding date, surcharged FRANQUEO OFICIAL in dark blue.



Per	forate	d 12.				
268	IC g	reen,	dark	blue	surch	arge
269	2c	"		"		"
270	5c	"		"		"
271	IOC	"		"		"
272	20C	"		"		" "
273	50 <b>c</b>	"		4.4		"
274	Ip	"		"		"
275	2p	"		"		"
276	5p	"		"		"
277	Iop	"		"		"

Size 160x88mm.

Blue laid paper.

5c on 10c violet, red surcharge

Varieties:

ENVELOPES.

a. Double surcharge, one across and one below the stamp.

5cx5c on 10c violet, red surcharge

b. Double surcharge, one across and one above the stamp.

405 5cx5c on 10c violet, red surcharge
c. Double surcharge, one across the stamp
and one inverted in left lower corner of

envelope. 5cx5c on 10c violet, red surcharge

d. Triple surcharge across the stamp. 5cx5cx5c on 10c violet, red surcharge

January 1st, 1890. Stamp typographed in upper right corner on amber wove paper.



1º Size 150x87mm.

408 5c blue

2º Size 160x92mm.

409 Ioc gray

3º Size 172x95mm.

410 20c rose

4° Size 195x94mm.

411 30c red brown

5° Size 240x102mm. 50c pale violet

January 1st, 1891.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white and amber wove paper.



I. White wove paper.

1º Size 152x90mm.

5c blue

2º Size 159x91mm.

10c gray

II. Amber wove paper.

1º Size 150x86mm.

5c blue 415

2º Size 195x94mm.

20c red

3º Size 239x101mm.

30c brown 417 418

50c pale violet

January 1st, 1892. Stamp typographed in upper right corner

on various colored wove paper.



I. Salmon wove paper. 1º Size 152x90mm.

5c blue

II. Blue wove paper.

2º Size 159x91mm.

10c gray

III. Amber wove paper.

1º Size 186x95mm.

421 20c red 422 30c brown

2º Size 241x105mm. 423 50c violet

January 1st, 1893.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on salmon wove paper.



1º Size 149x86mm.

5c dark blue

425 Toc lilac

2º Size 195x94mm. 20c dark red

426

3º Size 239x102mm.

30c brown 427

28 50c violet

January 1st, 1894.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white wove paper.



1º Size 158x90mm.

5c deep blue

Ioc gray 430

2º Size 223x99mm.

20c red

3º Size 240x102mm.

30c brown

433 50c mauve January 1st, 1895.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white wove paper.



1º Size 158x90mm.

434 5c deep blue

435 Ioc gray

2º Size 238x102mm.

20c red

30c brown

438 50c mauve

OFFICIAL ENVELOPES.

January 1st, 1890. Typographed in greenish blue on blue wove paper.



(?) 501 no value, greenish blue

#### WRAPPERS.

January 1st, 1890. Stamp typographed on buff wove paper



1º Size 195x260mm.

601 ic green

2c green

2º Size 195x290mm.

603 4c green

January 1st, 1891.

Stamp typographed on manila paper.



Size 170x285mm.

604 Ic green 605 2c green

606 4c green

January 1st, 1892.

Stamp typographed on salmon



Size 165x272mm.

1c dark blue 2c dark blue 607

608 609 4c dark blue

January 1st, 1893.

Stamp typographed on salmon wove paper.



1º Size 165x267mm.

1c dark green

2º Size 205x267mm.

2c dark green 611

4c dark green 612

January 1st, 1894.

Stamp typographed on manila paper.



Size 168x252mm.

613 Ic dark blue

614 2c dark blue 615 4c dark blue

January 1st, 1895.

Stamp typographed on blue wove paper.



1º Size 150x292mm.

Ic green

2º Size 162x265mm.

2c green

3º Size 170x250mm.

4c green

# COUNTERFEITS

We do not known of any good forgeries of the stamps of this country.

# NIGER COAST PROTECTORATE.

(Formerly Oil Rivers Protectorate.)

Currency: 12 PENCE—I SHILLING, 20 SHILLINGS—£1—\$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY. ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1892.

Adhesive stamps of the corresponding issue of Great Britain surcharged horizontally in black "BRITISH PROTECTORATE OIL RIVERS."

Watermarked large Crown.













Perforated 14.

1 ½p vermilion, black surcharge

Ip lilac

2p green and carmine 2½p lilac on blue

5p lilac and blue Ish green

September, 1893.

Provisional issue.

I penny stamps of the preceding issue cut diagonally in two, each half being surcharged " 1/2 d" in red.

Watermarked large Crown.

Perforated 14.



1/2p on half of Ip lilac and black, red surcharge

December, 1893.

2, 2½, 5p and 1 shilling stamps of 1892 issue surcharged with new value and the original value obliterated.

Watermarked large Crown.

Perforated 14.

8 ½p on 2½p lilac and blue, red surcharge (in capitals)

9 ½p on 2½p lilac and blue, red surcharge (in italics) 1sh on 2p green and carmine, black surcharge TO

Ish on 2p green and carmine, red surcharge II

Ish on 2p green and carmine, violet 12 surcharge

5sh on 2p green and carmine, violet 13 surcharge

10sh on 5p lilac and blue, red sur-14 charge

16

20sh on 1sh green, black surcharge 20sh on 1sh green, red surcharge 20sh on 1sh green, violet surcharge 17

January 1st, 1894.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 21x 28½ mm.













Perforated 15.

18 ½p red Ip light blue 19

20 2p green 2½p carmine 5p lilac 21 22

March, 1894.

23

Provisional issue.

Ish black

2 and 2½ penny stamps of the 1892 issue surcharged "HALF PENNY" and the words "Oil Rivers" obliterated. There are four different types of the surcharge.









Watermarked large Crown.

Perforated 14.

½p on 2p green and carmine, type I, violet surcharge 24

1/2p on 2p green and carmine, type II, 25 blue surcharge
½p on 2½p lilac on blue paper, type

26 II, carmine surcharge 1/2p on 21/2p lilac on blue paper, type

27 III, vermilion surcharge
½p on 2½p lilac on blue paper, type

28

III, blue surcharge
½p on 2½p lilac on blue paper, type 29 IV, green surcharge

May, 1894.

Provisional issue.

I penny stamps of the issue of January, 1894, cut diagonally in two, each half surcharged in red with new value.

Perforated 14. 1/2p on half of 1p blue, red surcharge June, 1894.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 21x 27 mm.













Perforated 15.

31 ½p green

32 Ip red

33 2p carmine

34 2½p blue

35 5p deep violet

36 Ish black

REGISTRATION ENVELOPES.

1892.

Registration envelopes of Great Britain, of corresponding issue, surcharged in black above stamp BRITISH PROTECTORATE
OIL RIVERS

White wove paper, linen lined.

# BRITISH PROTECTORATE OIL RIVERS



Size F 133x80mm.

101 2p ultramarine, black surcharge
Size G 150x96 mm.

102 2p ultramarine, black surcharge

Size H2 225x100 mm.

103 2p ultramarine, black surcharge

1894.

Registration envelopes of Great Britain, of corresponding issue, surcharged in black NIGER COAST PROTECTORATE above stamp.

# PROTECTORATE



Size F 133x80mm.

104 2p blue, black surcharge
Size G 150x95mm.

105 2p blue, black surcharge
Size H2 225x100mm.

106 2p blue, black surcharge

COUNTERFEITS.

We know of no good counterfeits of the stamps of this Colony.

# NORWAY.

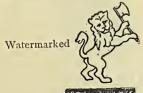
Currency: 120 SKILLINGS-I SPECIE DALER; 100 ÖRE-I KRONA-27 CENTS U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

September 29th, 1854,

Typographed on white wove paper. Size

18x22 mm.





4s blue

Variety: Rouletted (Unofficially).

2 4s blue

1856.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 19x22 mm.



Perforated 13.
3 4s blue
4 8s dull lake

Varieties:

a. Imperforate.

4s blue b. 4 skillings stamps cut in two, each half being used as 2 skillings. 6 2s blue (half of 4s)

February 28th, 1857.

Same type, paper and impression as preceding issue.

Perforated 13.

2s yellow

Ř 2s orange

3s lilac

1863-66.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 16½ x21 mm.



Perforated 141/2 x131/2

2s yellow (1865) 3s lilac (1866) 10

3s lilac

ΙI (January, 1864) 12 4s blue

(Aug. 31st, 1863) 8s rose 14 24s brown (

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 161/2 x21 mm.



16

2s orange yellow 17

(May, 1868) (May, 1868) (June, 1867) (End 1867) 3s lilac 18 3s red lilac

19 4s blue 20

21 8s rose

Typographed on white wove paper.

# Watermarked





Perforated 14½x13½. 22 Is dark green 23 Is yellow green 22

23 2s blue 24

2s ultramarine 25

26 3s carmine (Jan. Ist, 27 4s purple

(July 1st, 1875) 6s red brown 7s red brown (July 1st, 1872) January 1st, 1877 and October 1st, 1878.

Typographed on white wove paper; the posthorn is shaded; there are a number of minor varieties in the size of the figure or figures of value in the lower part of the oval. Size 17x21 mm.

Watermarked a Posthorn.



Perforated 141/2x131/2.

30 1ö bistre gray

3ö orange 5ö dull blue 31

32 5ö ultramarine 33

100 carmine

12ö green

20ö red brown 37 25ö violet

35ö blue green (October, 1878)

50ö claret 00 60ö dark blue (October, 1878)

Varieties: No period after Postfrim.

5 ö dull blue

4I

42 5ö ultramarine

These are the only two values which we have seen with this variety, others probably exist.

October 1st, 1878.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 171/2 x22mm.

Watermarked a Posthorn.



Perforated 141/2x131/2.

1kr pale green, centre dark green 1kr 50ö blue, centre deep blue 44

45

2kr rose, centre brown

1883-87.

Same type as issue of January, 1877, but posthorn unshaded; there are also a number of minor varieties in the size of the figure or figures of value.

Watermarked a Posthorn.



Perforated 141/2x131/2.

3ö orange (February, 1884)

(1883)3ö yellow 5ö yellow green 5ö blue green

" 50 5ö emerald green ..

10ö carmine red 52 10ö brown red 53

10ö rose red

55	10ö violet red	(1887)
56	12ö pale green	(February, 1884)
57	200 red brown	(1883)
58	25ö violet	(1883)

#### Varieties:

a. Imperforate. 100 rose red

b. No period after Postfrim.

5ö yellow green 60 10ö carmine red 10ö rose red 6т 62 63 10ö violet red

64 20ö pale red brown

250 violet 65

It is possible that the 3 and 12 ore of this variety also exist but they have not as yet been met with by us.

August, 1883 and end of 1884.

Same type, paper, impression, watermark etc, as preceding issue but colors changed.

#### Perforated 141/2x131/2.

66	12ö bistre brown	(End of 1884.)
67	12ö yellow brown	(End of 1884)
68	20ö blue	(August, 1883)
69	20ö dull blue	(August, 1883)
70	20ö ultramarine	(August, 1883)

#### Varieties: No period after Postfrim.

20ö blue 20ö dull blue 72

July, 1888.

Provisional issue,

12 öre stamps of preceding issue surcharged horizontally in black "2 öre."



Perforated 14½x13½.
73 2ö on 12ö bistre brown, black sur-73 charge

20 on 120 yellow brown, black sur-74 charge

1890-92.

Same type, paper, impression, watermark etc., as the issue of 1883-87.

Perforated 141/2x131/2. 1ö black brown

1ö bistre gray 2ö yellow brown 77

2ö red brown Varieties: No Period after Postfrim.

ıö black brown 1ö bistre gray

1894. Similar to preceding issue but name of country in Roman (NORGE) instead of Egyptian capitals.
Watermarked a Posthorn.



Perforated 141/2x131/2.

8т 3ö orange 5ö pale green 10ö rose red 82 20ö blue 84

# UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.

#### 1889-93.

Typographed on white wove paper. Size 16x20mm.



Perforated 141/2x131/2.

1ö bistre gray 151

4ö violet 152

(July 1st, 1889) (1893)

153 100 carmine 154 20ö ultramarine 155 50ö violet brown (July 1st, 1889) (October, 1890) (July, 1889)

# RETURN LETTER STAMPS,

January 1st, 1872. Lithographed on colored wove paper. Size 161/2×19 mm.

Perforated 141/2x131/2.

I. For letters which have not been delivered.

Som übesörget aabnet af Post-Departe mentet

black, red black, lilac rose 201 202

Variety: Error, printed on green instead of red paper.
203 black, green

II. For letters which have not been called



4 black, green
Variety: Imperforate.
5 black, green 205

# ENVELOPES.

January 1st, 1872. Stamp of same type as adhesive of corresponding date, typographed in upper right corner on white or rosy white laid paper,

TRESS.



1º White laid paper.

Size 148x86mm.

2s blue 301

3s carmine 302

2º Rosy white laid paper.

Size 148x86mm.

2s blue

3s carmine 304

Stamp, of same type as preceding issue, typographed in upper right corner on white orrosy white wove paper.

Tress same as preceding issue.

Size 148x86mm.

1º White wove paper.

2s blue

306 3s carmine

2º Rosy white wove paper.

307 2s blue

308 3s carmine

January 1st, 1879.

Stamp, of same type as adhesive, of corresponding date, typographed in upper right corner on white wove paper.

Tress same as preceding issue.

Size 148x86mm

50 ultramarine 300

COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any good forgeries of the stamps of this country.

# NOVA SCOTIA.

Currency: 12 PENCE=I SHILLING; 20 SHILLINGS=£1=\$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY.

Also \$1.00=100 CENTS.

ADHESIVE STAMPS.

September 1st, 1851.

wove paper varying from very deep to very pale blue; one design for the three values. Size 22½x22½mm. Engraved in taille douce on stout blue



3p blue

3p dark blue 6p yellow green 3

6p dark green

Ish violet

1sh mauve Varieties:

a 3 pence stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 1½ penny.

7 1½p blue (half of 3p)

8 1½p dark blue (half of 3p)

b. 6 penny stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 3 penny.

9 3p yellow green (half of 6p)

3p dark green (half of 6p) 10 6 penny stamps cut vertically in two,

each half being used as 3 penny.

11 3p yellow green (half of 6p)

12 3p dark green (half of 6p)
d. 6 penny stamps cut triangularly in quarters, each quarter being used as 1½ penny.

13

1½p yellow green (one-fourth of 6p)
1½p dark green (one-fourth of 6p)
1 shilling stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as 6 penny.

6p violet (half of 1sh)

f. I shilling stamps cut triangularly in quarters, each quarter being used as a 3 penny. 3p violet (one-fourth of 1sh)

These stamps were never issued on white paper but specimens are found on white paper which is the result of discoloration by chemicals, either accidentally or with fraudulent intent. The 3 and 6 pence are also found surcharged "5c or 10c" with or without the "C," but this is at the best only a cancellation.

Reprints—It is said that these stamps were reprinted in 1891, but so far we have not been able to get satisfactory evidence thereof.

May 1st, 1853.

Engraved in taille douce on stout blue wove paper. Size 221/2 x221/2 mm.



1p red brown

What we have said in regard to the stamps on white paper of the preceding issue, applies also to this issue.

October Ist, 1860.

Engraved on white or yellowish paper; the 5c is of the same type as the Ic and the Ioc is of the same type as the  $8\frac{1}{2}$ c. Sizes: I and 5c,  $20\frac{1}{2}$ x25 $\frac{1}{2}$ mm,  $8\frac{1}{2}$ , Io and  $12\frac{1}{2}$ c,  $20\frac{1}{2}$ x26 mm.







Perforated 12. 1º Yellowish paper.

т8 re black

5c blue IQ

8½c yellow green 20

10c vermilion 21

22 12½c black 2° White paper.

Ic black 23

5c blue 24

25 8½c green

Ioc vermilion

27 121/2c black Varieties:

5c stamp cut diagonally in two, each

half being used as a 2½ cent. 28 2½ c blue (half of 5c)

10c stamps cut diagonally in two, each half being used as a 5 cent.

5c vermilion (half of 10c)

10c stamps cut vertically in two, each

half being used as a 5 cent.
30 5c vermilion (half of 10c)
d. 10c stamps cut horizontally in two, each

half being used as a 5 cent.
31 5c vermilion (half of 10c)

e. Ic stamp cut diagonally in two, each half being used as ½ cent.

32 ½c black (half of Ic)

May, 1863.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 201/2 x251/2 mm.



Perforated 12.

2c lilac 33

Variety: Cut diagonally in two, each half being used as I cent. Ic lilac (half of 2c)

COUNTERFEITS.

There is a splendid forgery of the 6 pence which, although lithographed instead of engraved, is so well done as to be dangerous even to experienced collectors. There is, however, one point by which they can easily be told: The losenge containing the figure "6" at the left side between "Nova" and "6 pence" is larger in the counterfeits than in the genuine, the lower left and upper right sides being about ½mm wider than the upper left and lower right sides, while in the genuine these are all of the same size. There are also some very fine engraved counterfeits of the "Cents" issue but they are easily told by the size which is a trifle smaller than the genuine. Of these we have seen the 2, 8½ and 12½c which, besides the size, can be distinguished by the following points: They are printed on thin grayish wove paper and are perforated 14 instead of 12, in the 2c the nose of the Queen is more curved in the genuine than in the counterfeits and three of the horizontal lines of the background are below the lower extremity of the bust in the genuine while there are four in the counterfeits. In the genuine 8½c, besides the thick frame surrounding the central oval, there are four in the counterfeits. In the genuine 8½c, besides the thick frame surrounding the central oval, there is at the outside of this frame a thinner one which is broken at about the centre of the left side and which does not show in the lower half of the right side. In the counterfeits this thin frame is entirely absent. In the genuine 12½c there are, in the upper half of the white oval surrounding the central oval, two parallel lines. In the counterfeits these lines converge at top.

# NYASSALAND.

Currency: 1000 REIS == 1 MILREIS == \$1.00 U. S. CURRENCY. ADHESIVE STAMPS.

September, 1894.

I. Lithographed on white wove paper; Size, 19x22 mm.



1º Imperforate,

ior rose

20r violet 5or green

2º Perforated 14.

Ior rose

20r violet

5or green

II. Same as preceding but surcharged in black with new value; there are a number of minor varieties consisting in the relative posi-tions of the letters of the first and second lines of the surcharge.



1º Imperforate.

5r on 10r rose, black surcharge

75r on 20r violet " 8

100r on 50r green 2° Perforated 14.

5r on 10r rose, black surcharge 10

II 75r on 20r violet

12 100r on 50r green

At present there is considerable doubt as to the status of these stamps, and it may finely appear that they should not be recognized as a legitimate issue of postage stamps. The Company operating in the territory of Nyassaland has a concession from the Government of Portugal, and under this concession they have the right to issue postage stamps. However, the Government of Portugal contends that any such issue must be printed at the Government Mint or Printing Office at Lisbon and that any issue of stamps ordered or printed elsewhere can not receive their sanction,

Should the Government be successful in this contention, the above issue will have to be withdrawn and

will become absolutely valueless to stamp collectors.

## OLDENBURG.

Currency: 30 SILBERGROSCHEN = I THALER = 72 CENTS U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

January 5th, 1852.

Engraved in black on colored wovepaper; all the values are of one type, but each is separately en-

There are two varieties of the 1-30 thaler, almost equally divided on the plate, and a retouch of the first variety; the principal differences are as follows:

Ist variety: the bottom of the shield points to the left of the N of OLDENBURG; the top and bottom strokes of the letters of THALER are thin and the N of OLDENBURG does not touch the shield; the left hollow at the bottom of the shield touches the H of THALER; size, 173/4x201/2 mm.

2d variety: the bottom of the shield points to the right of the N of OLDENBURG; the top and bottom strokes

of the letters of THALER are thick and the N of OLDENBURG touches the shield.

There is a retouch of the first variety, this can readily be distinguished by the left hollow at the bottom of the shield which is almost 3/4 mm. from the H of THALER; size, 181/4 x 201/2 mm.

There are two varieties of the I-I5 thaler, the first one being the commoner, and two retouches of the first variety; the principal differences are as follows:

Ist variety: the bottom of the shield points to the right of the N of OLDENBURG, the hollow of the shield under the H of THALER is pointed and the one under the E of the same word is rounded; the downward stroke of the first 1 of 1-15 is very small; size, 173/x20 mm.

2d variety: the bottom of the shield points to the centre of the N, both hollows at the bottom of the shield are rounded and the downward stroke of the I is more pronounced than in the first variety; size, 18x193/4.

Of the first variety there are two retouches; in the first retouch the hollow at the bottom of the shield is flat, and the distance between it and the H of THALER is about ½ mm, and the shading of the royal mantle is heavier; in the second retouch the corner ornaments have been re-engraved, there are only five horizontal dashes in front of the "2" and the inner top line runs into the outer line of the frame.

There is only one type of the 1-10 thaler. Size, 173/x23 mm.



- I-30th blue, three varieties
  I-15th rose, four varieties 2
- I-Ioth yellow 3

January 30th, 1855.

Same type as preceding issue engraved in black on colored wove paper; size, 181/4 x20 mm.



1-3sgr green

January 1st, 1858.

Engraved in black on colored wove paper all of one type but each value separately engraved; size, 173/4x23 mm.



1-3gr green Igr blue

2gr rose 3gr yellow

December 15th, 1860.

Same type as preceding issue, lithographed on white wove paper.

1-4gr orange

10

1-3gr green 1-3gr dark green II

1-2gr maroon 12

1-2gr red brown

14 Igr blue

2gr rose

16 3gr yellow

#### Varieties :

a, OLDEIBURG,

1-3gr green

3gr yellow

b. Dritte.

c. Dritted. 1-3gr green

20 I-3gr green

February 21st, 1862.

Typographed on white wove paper, the coat of arms embossed without color; size. 19x22 mm.



Rouletted on white lines.

21 1-3gr green

22 1-2gr orange

Igr rose 23

2gr blue 24

25 3gr stone

#### ENVELOPES.



January 1st, 1861.

Stamp embossed in upper left corner on yellowish white wove paper; inscriptions in blue in small capitals across the upper left corner in two lines: "EIN HALBER (EIN, ZWEI, DREI) GROSCHEN FOST COUVERT.



Tress H. Short gum.

I. Size, 147x84 mm.
26 1-2gr dark brown
27 1-2gr yellow brown
28 1gr dark prussian blue
29 1gr bright prussian blue
30 1gr pale prussian blue
31 2gr bright rose
32 2gr pale rose Short gum. 26 27 28 29 30 31 2gr pale rose 32 2gr pale rose 33 3gr pale yellow 34 3gr pale yellow II. Size, 149x115 mm. 35 1-2gr dark brown 35 36 igr bright prussian blue 2gr light rose 37 38 3gr bright yellow

Reprints. 1867. Tress H Long gum Size, 147x84 mm. 39 1-2gr light brown 1gr milky blue 2gr bright rose 40 41 42 3gr pale yellow March, 1862.

Stamp, same type as preceding issue, embossed in upper right corner; blue inscriptions as in preceding issues across upper

right corner.
Tress H.
Short gum. Size, 147x84 mm. 43 1-2gr orange 1-2gr dull orange 44 Igr pale rose 45 igr deep rose 46 2gr deep ultramarine 47 3gr fawn 48 1863-64. Stamp, impression, etc., as preceding issue. Tress H. Long gum. Size, 147x84 mm.

I. Yellowish white wove paper. 1-2gr dull orange 1-2gr dull orange 1
1-2gr yellow orange
1-2gr bright orange
1gr dark rose 50 52 Igr light rose 53 2gr pale ultramarine 3gr fawn 54 55 56 3gr bright red brown II. Bluish white wove paper. I-2gr pale orange Igr bright rose 57 58

2gr deep ultramarine

3gr bistre

# ENVELOPES FOR RETURNED LETTERS.

59 60

1866.

Without stamp, inscriptions typographed in black on face; grayish white wove paper, round black seal on flap.

Size, 149x115 mm. no value, black

#### WAR ENVELOPES.

July, 1866.

July, 1866.
Without stamp, inscriptions typographed in black on various papers.

II. Grayish blue laid paper. I. Grayish white wove paper. 63 no value, black

no value, black 62

# COUNTERFEITS.

The Oldenburg stamps which have specially tempted the forger and of which some very fine counterfeits exist, are the 1-3 sgr of the 1855 issue and most of the stamps of the 1858 and 1860 issues; the stamps of the 1852 and 1862 issues not being very scarce they have not tempted the skillful forger and only poor counterfeits of these are in existence. As there are too many different forgeries we shall not attempt to describe them, but shall give a few points pertaining to each of the genuine and by which it will be easy to distinguish them from the forgeries.

1-3 sbgr. The oof OLDENBURG slants a trifle to the right; the inner line at the right extends to the outer line at the top; there are three pearls at each side of the crown; the comma-shaped ornament, which is over the left side of the crown, almost touches the first pearl from the left and the same ornament over the right side of the crown is about 1-2mm. from the central pearl.

1-3gr. The inner line of the frame at the left runs into the outer line of the frame at the top; the inner top line of the frame runs into the outer right line of the frame; the G of OLDENBURG is smaller than the other letters of the same word; there are thirteen vertical lines of shading at the left of OLDENBURG, of which the first one is very close to the frame and the last one touches the O; there is one line which runs through the centre of the o, and another one at the right of it but without touching it.

Igr. There are twelve vertical lines of shading at the left of o of OLDENBURG the last one touching the o; there are two lines crossing the o and there is another one touching the right side of the same letter; the bottom stroke of the figure 1 at the left is composed of a double line, in blurred specimens this, however, does not show; in the right oval containing the figure I there is a small dot at the centre of the left side

touching the frame.

2gr. The outer line at the right extends a trifle at top; both the outer and inner lines of the frame at the left extend a trifle at the bottom; in each of the ovals containing the figure 2 there is a small dot, in the right one it is at the left of the 2 and in the left one at the right of the same, in both about midway between the figure and the frame of the oval; the right oval does not touch the ornament below it; there is a square dot under the right part of the w of zwei, between the inner and outer lines of the frame; the right fold of the bottom scroll touches the frame below it.

3gr. The inner line of the frame at the left extends at the top and the bottom; the outer line of the frame at the right extends at the top, the inner line at top extends at the right extends at the bottom; in each of the ovals containing the figure 3 there is a small dot, in the right one at the left of the figure and in the left one at the right of the figure, in both touching the frame of the oval.

1860.

1-4gr. The 4 of 1-4 at the right side is broader but not as tall as the 4 at the left side; there are two lines of shading at the left of E of EIN, one of which touches the top of the E; there are two lines running through the E of GROSCHEN touching the letter at each side; there is one line running through the centre of the O of OLDENBURG and one at each side of the same letter, both touching it.

1.3gr. The points given for the same value of the 1858 issue apply also to this one.

1-2gr. The stamps of this value are printed from two transfers, those from the first one being very clear, showing all the lines of the shading of the upper and lower labels, while those printed from the second transfer show hardly any of it in the centre of these labels. There are eight lines of shading to the right of the G of "OLDENBURG;" there are eleven lines of shading running through "BURG," the first one touching the extreme left of "B" and the last one touching the right of the "G;" two lines run through the "O" of "OLDENBURG" touching it at each side; the ovals containing the 1-2 do not touch either the frame or the oval containing the shield; the "G" and "R" of "GROSCHEN" are very close together, almost touching one another; the inner line of the frame at the right side projects at the bottom, sometimes running into the outer line of the frame. line of the frame.

I, 2 and 3gr. These are transfers from the same dies of the corresponding values of the 1858 issue and are consequently alike, with the exception of some of the 2 groshen in which the "2" in the right oval has no dot to the left.

# ORANGE FREE STATE.

Currency: 12 PENCE = 1 SHILLING. 20 SHILLINGS = 1£ = \$4.87 U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

January 1st, 1868.

Typographed on white wove paper; size, 183/4 x221/2 mm.



Perforated 14.

Ip brown

2 6p rose

1sh yellow brown

End of 1877.

Provisional issue.

6 penny stamps of preceding issue sur-charged in black '4' in centre of stamp; there are five different types of the surcharge as per illustrations:

4 4 type II type III type IV type V type I Perforated 14. type I 4p on 6p rose, black surcharge, 4p on 6p rose II 5 " 4p on 6p rose " " III " 4p on 6p rose ٠. 4p on 6p rose

Same type, impression etc., as 1868 issue.

Perforated 14

4p blue \_5sh green

Provisional issue.

5 shilling stamps of preceding issue sur-charged 'Id.' in black in centre of stamp, and original value obliterated by a heavy black line; there are five different types of the surcharge as per illustrations.

#### 1d. Id. 1d. ld. id:

type I type III type III type IV type V Perforated 14. 10 a Ipon 5sh green, black surcharge, type I Ip on 5sh green "Ip on 5sh green "Ip on 5sh green "Ip on 5sh green " type II II type III 12 type IV 13 Ip on 5sh green " type V Variety: Double surcharge. 1p on 5sh green, double surcharge, 15 type I August, 1882. Provisional issue, 5 shilling stamps of 1878 issue, surcharged in black, 2d' in centre of stamp and original value obliterated by a heavy black line; there is only one type of this surcharge. Perforated 14.
16 I-2p on 5sh green, black surcharge т6

Provisional issue.

End of 1883.

I. 4 penny stamps of 1878 issue surcharged in black '3d' in centre of stamp and original value obliterated by a heavy black line; there are five types of this surcharge.

3d	3d.	. 3d	30	3d
type I	type II	type III	type IV	type V
	rated 14.		31.	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
		olue, black	surcharge,	typeI
18	3p on 4p b	lue "	"	" II
19	3p on 4p b	lue ''	"	" III
20	3p on 4p b	lue ''	44	" IV
21	3p on 4p b	lue "	"	" V
21 3p on 4p blue " " V Varieties:				
a. The black line obliterating the value is at top.				
	2n on 4n l	blue blac	k surchara	Α.
22 3p on 4p blue, black surcharge b. Without the black line.				
23 3p on 4p blue, black surcharge				
II. Provisional 1-2 penny of August, 1882.				
surcharged "3" over the "1-2."				
Perforated 14. 24 3p on 1-2p green, black surcharge,				
24	3p on 1-2	p green,	black sur	charge,
-00-	type I			
1883.				
Same type, impression, etc., as preceding				
regular issue. Perforated 14.				
25 1-2p brown				
	2p mauve			
	3p blue			
1888.				
Provisional issue.				
3 penny stamps of preceding issue sur-				
charged in black with new value; there are				
two types of this surcharge, the first one as				
per illustration with bottom stroke of "2"				
straight, the second one an italic "2" with				
curved bottom stroke.				



Perforated 14. 2p on 3p blue, black surcharge, type I 2p on 3p blue ""II 29 1890-91.

Provisional issue.
3 penny stamps of 1883 issue and 4 penny stamps of 1878 issue surcharged in black '1d' in centre of stamp; there are three different types of this surcharge.

ld Id Id. type III type I type II

Perforated 14. Ip on 3p blue, black surcharge, type I Ip on 4p blue " II 32 Ip on 3p blue " II Ip on 4p blue 33 "III Ip on 4p blue Varieties: a. "d" below the line.

35 Ip on 3p blue, black surcharge, type I
b. Surcharged at bottom.
36 Ip on 3p blue, black surcharge, type I
c. Surcharged at extreme left in lower part.

37 Ip on 3p blue, black surcharge, type I d. Space between "I" and "d."

238 Ipon 3p blue, black surcharge, type I e. Top stroke of "1" is small. 38

39 Ip on 3p blue, black surcharge, type II
40 Ip on 4p blue, black surcharge, type II
f. Double surcharge.
41 IxIp on 3p blue, black surcharge,
type II

1892.

Provisional issue.

3 penny stamps of 1883 issue surcharged "2 I-2d" in black in centre of stamp; there is only one type of this surcharge.

Perforated 14. 2 1-2p on 3p blue, black surcharge

Varieties:

a. Comma instead of period after "d."

2 1-2p on 3p blue, black surcharge
b. The top stroke of the "d" is missing. 2 1-2p on 3p blue, black surcharge

August, 1894.

Same type, impression, etc., as preceding regular issues.

Perforated 14.

1-2p yellow 45 Ip mauve 46 2p rose 47 48 2- 12p green 3p yellow brown 49 4p dark green 51 6p blue 1sh red brown 52 2sh 6p orange 53 5sh carmine 54

1895.

2 penny stamps of the 1883 issue surcharged in black "2d."

Perforated 14.

2p mauve, black surcharge

# REVENUE STAMPS USED FOR POSTAGE.

1882-1886.

Typographed on white wove paper; size, 381/2 x 221/2 mm.



Perforated 14. IOI 6p gray 1sh brown violet 102 1sh gray 18p blue 2sh red 103 104 105 5sh rose 6sh green . TO7 10sh olive 108 £I lilac 109 £4 carmine IIO £5 green
6p on 8sh yellow III 112

# TELEGRAPH STAMPS USED FOR POSTAGE.

I. Regular adhesive stamps surcharged in violet "TELEGRAAF" in two lines.



Perforated 14.

Ip brown, violet surcharge 151 152 6p rose, violet surcharge

5sh green, violet surcharge II. Regular adhesive stamps surcharged in black "T. F."



I. Surcharge measuring 61/2 x23/4 mm. Perforated 14.

ip brown, black surcharge 154

" " 6p rose 155

5sh green 156

II. Surcharge measuring 83/4x31/2 mm. Perforated 14.

157 6p rose, black surcharge

III. Regular Revenue stamps surcharged in violet "TELEGRAAF" in two lines.



Perforated 14.

158 Ish brown violet, violet surcharge

Ish gray, violet surcharge 159

IV. Provisional Revenue stamps sur-charged in black "T. F." the Surcharge measuring 8x23/ mm.



Perforated 14.

160 1sh on 7sh violet, black surcharge Variety: the heavy black line is below the thin one instead of above it.

1sh on 7sh violet, black surcharge

#### COUNTERFEITS.

We do not know of any good forgeries of the stamps of this Republic,

# PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

Currency: 8 REALES = I PESO = \$1.00 U. S. CURRENCY.

## ADHESIVE STAMPS.

1858-59.

Engraved in taille douce on various papers; size, 253/4 x21 mm.



I. Bluish wove paper.

Ir blue

2r carmine

II. White laid paper.

Ir carmine

2r blue 4

III. White wove paper.

Ir blue

Ir carmine

Ir yellow 7 8

1r green 2r brown

2r blue 10

II 2r carmine

2r yellow 12

2r green 13

#### COUNTERFEITS.

The forgeries of these stamps being lithographed are easily told from the genuine, which are finely engraved.

# PARAGUAY.

Currency: 8 REALES = 100 CENTAVOS = I PESO = \$0.25 U. S CURRENCY.

# ADHESIVE STAMPS.

August 1st, 1870.

Lithographed on white wove paper; size 19x241/2 mm.







Ir rose 2 2r blue 3r black 3 1878. Provisional issue. Stamps of preceding issue surcharged with new value. I. Surcharged with large figure 16 mm high. 1º Black surcharge. 5c on 1r rose, black surcharge 5c on 2r blue Varieties : a. Double surcharge the second one inverted. 5c on 1r rose, black surcharge 5c on 2r blue "" 6 55 Surcharged inverted.
5 Surcharged inverted.
5 to on 1r rose, black surcharge
5 to on 2r blue "" 10 II d. Surcharge sideways.

5c on 2r blue, black surcharge 12 2° Blue surcharge.
3 5c on 1r rose, blue surcharge
4 5c on 2r blue "" 14 5c on 3r black " 15 Varieties: a. Surcharge sideways. 5c on Ir rose, blue surcharge b. Surcharge inverted.
17 5c on 3r black, blue surcharge
c. Pair, one unsurcharged, and surcharge inverted on the other. 18 5c on 3r black, blue surcharge
d. Double surcharge sideways.
19 5c on 1r rose, blue surcharge e. Double surcharge.
20 5c on 2r blue, blue surcharge
21 5c on 3r black "" 20 II. Surcharged with small figure to mm high. 1º Black surcharge. 5c on 1r rose, black surcharge 22 5c on 2r blue "
5c on 3r black " 23 Varieties: a. Surcharge sideways.
25 5c on 3r black, black surcharge
b. Surcharge inverted. 5c on 3r black, black surcharge 2º Blue surcharge.
7 5c on 2r blue, blue surcharge 28 5c on 3r black " Varieties: a. Surcharge sideways.
29 5c on 2r blue, blue surcharge
30 5c on 3r black "" b. Double surcharge, sideways, one of which is the large type.

31 5c on 3r black, blue surcharge
c. Quadruple surcharge, sideways, three
of which are of the large type.

32 5c on 3r black, blue surcharge d, Double surcharge.

33 5c on 3r black, blue surcharge
e. Double surcharge, one sideways and

one inverted.

5c on 2r blue, blue surcharge
5c on 3r black ""
3° Violet surcharge.
5c on 2r blue, violet surcharge
5c on 3r black "" 35 36 37 1879. Lithographed on thin white wove paper, size, 19½x25 mm.



Perforated 121/2. I. Value expressed in reales. 5r orange 39 10r brown Variety: Imperforate. 40 Ior brown II. Value expressed in centavos. 4I 5c brown 42 10c green
Varieties: Imperforate. 43 5c brown Ioc green Reprints. 1891. Thin yellowish white wove paper. Perforated 111/2. 5c brown 46 10c green

Provisional issue, 10 centavos stamps of preceding issue handstamped with new value in black; there is only one type of surcharge of each value.



July, 1881.



Perforated 121/2. Ic on Ioc green, black surcharge 2c on 10c green Variety: Surcharge inverted. Ic on Ioc green, black surcharge August 30th, 1881.

Lithographed on white wove paper; size' 19x24½mm.







Perforated 12, 121/2, 13, 131/2, 14 irregu-

50 ic blue 51 2c vermilion

4c brown Varieties:

a. Imperforate. 4c brown

b. Imperforate horizontally.

54 4c brown c. Imperforate vertically:

2c vermilion

56 4c brown May 8th, 1884.

Provisional issue.

I real stamps of first issue with new value handstamped in black.



Ic on Ir rose, black surcharge Varieties:

a. Surcharge inverted,

Ic on Ir rose, black surcharge b. Double surcharge.

Ic on Ir rose, black surcharge

September, 1884.

Lithographed on white wove paper; size, 191/2 x241/2 mm.



I. Thick white wove paper. Perforated II1/2.

60 ic green 61 2c red

5c blue 62

II. Thin white wove paper.

1º Perforated 121/2. ic green 63

2c orange red 64

65 5c blue
Variety: Imperforate.

5c blue

2º Perforated 15.

2c red

March 7th, 1887.

Lithographed on white wove paper; size, 191/2 x24 mm.



Perforated 111/2, 12, 121/2, 13, irregularly,

68 Ic green 69 2c carmine 5c blue 70

7c chocolate 72 ioc purple

15c orange 73 20c pink

74 20c pink
The 1 and 2c we have seen only with per-

foration 11½.

Variety: Yellow wavy lines on back of stamp,

75 Ic green
It is said that this stamp was used as a provisional official stamp,

188g.

Lithographed on thick glazed white wove paper; size, 24x20 mm.



Perforated 111/2 76 15c red violet October 12th, 1892,

Jubilee issue,

Lithographed on white wove paper and handstamped with violet surcharge; size 19x24 mm,



Perforated 12x12½,
77 10c violet blue, violet surcharge End of 1892.

Lithographed on white wove paper, the 40, 60, 80c and I peso are of the same type as the 1887 issue; the other values are each of a different type; the I centavo is erroneously lettered, "CENTAVOS."

The 10 centavos stamps of this issue are only sold punched with a circular hole, in order to prevent their being fraudulently sur-charged and passed off on collectors as the Jubilee issue.

















Perforated 12x121/2. Ic gray

OFFICIAL STAMPS

August, 1886.

August, 1886.

Lithographed on ordinary white wove paper, surcharged "OFICIAL" in black, in various types; the reverse of the stamps is covered with horizontal wavy lines close together, printed in orange, and each value has a special design and a control mark, also on the reverse of the stamp, as follows:

I centavo; double lined oval with "ASUNCION" at top, laurel branch below, date '1886" in centre, are printed in blue and a gothic capital "A" printed in black in lower left part of the stamp.

left part of the stamp.

2 centavos; "ASUNCION—1886" printed diagonally in two lines in blue; gothic capital "B" printed in black in lower left

corner.
5 centavos; a laurel wreath with star in centre and "1886" below printed in blue; gothic capital "C" printed in black in lower left part of stamp.
7 centavos; "ASUNCION" printed diagonally in blue, crossed by "1886" in black; gothic capital "D" in black in lower left corner.

10 centavos; same as I centavo but date

printed horizontally instead of vertically; gothic capital "E" in black at bottom,
15 centavos; sitting lion printed in blue with "1886" in black below; gothic capital
"F" in black in lower right corner.

20 centavos; design similar to that on the I and 7 centavos printed in blue; "1886" in black horizontally across centre of oval; gothic capital "G" in black in lower left

Sizes: 1, 2, 5, 7 and 10c,  $19\frac{1}{2}x24\frac{1}{2}$  mm; 15 and 20c,  $24\frac{1}{2}x19\frac{1}{2}$ mm.



2c yellow green 80 4c carmine 81 5c violet 10c violet blue 82 83 14c brown 20c carmine 85 86 30c light green 40c dark blue 87 60c yellow 80c light blue 88 Ip olive





1c orange, black surcharge 201 202 2c violet 203 5c red 204 7c green 10c maroon " 205 206 15c blue 20c carmine " 207

Variety: With wavy lines on the face instead of on the reverse of the stamp. 208 15c blue, black surcharge.

September 1st, 1886.

I. Lithographed on thick glazed white wove paper, surcharged, "OFICIAL" in black; sizes same as preceding issue.















Perforated 111/2.

1c green, black surcharge 209 210 2c red

.. 211 5c green 7c orange " 6.6 212

10c deep carmine, black surcharge 213

214 15c brown, black surcharge 215 20c blue

Varieties: Surcharge inverted. 216 Ic green, black surcharge 2c red 5c blue 217 218 7c orange " 210 10c deep carmine, black surcharge 220 221 15c brown 20c blue II. I centavo stamps of the issue of September, 1884, surcharged diagonally in black

Thick white wove paper.

Perforated 11 1/2.
23 Ic green, black surcharge

This surcharge is exactly the same as the one on the Official Stamps of the Argentine Republic.

October, 1889.

Same type as 15c stamps of regular issue of corresponding date, hand stamped in black "Oficial" and new value.



I. Ordinary white wove paper. 3c on 15c violet, black surcharge 224 5c on 15c red violet " 225 II. Thick glazed white wove paper. Perforated 111/2.

1c on 15c red violet, black surcharge 226 Ic on 15c fed violet, 511 2c on 15c red violet 2c on 15c brown violet Variety: Surcharge inverted. 230 ic on 15c brown violet

End of 1890.

Stamps of regular issue of 1887 surcharged

by hand OFICIAL

# ENVELOPES.

March 7th, 1887.

Stamps of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, lithographed in upper right corner on creamish white laid paper.



Size I52x84mm. 401 5c blue

Perforated II 1/2 and II 1/2 x 12 1/2. I. Violet surcharge. Ic green, violet surcharge 2c carmine "" 231 232 5c blue 233 7c chocolate " 234 " 235 roc purple 236 15c orange 237 20c p 20c pink a. Double surcharge, ic green, violet surcharge 238 2c carmine " 239 5c blue 240 241 10c purple " 15c orange 242 3 20c pink ""
b. Double surcharge, the second one only 243 "CIAL. 244 2c carmine, violet surcharge 245 20c pink c. Surcharged "CIAL," instead of "OFICIAL." 246 15c orange, violet surcharge II. Blue surcharge. ic green, blue surcharge 247 2c carmine " 248 44 5c blue 249 250 roc purple 15c orange 251 20c pink 252 Variety: Double surcharge. 253 2c carmine, blue surcharge The I, 2 and 5c we have seen only perforated II1/2.

Stamps of the regular issue of 1887 with the addition of a 50c stamp of the same type surcharged typographically in black diagon-

ally OFICIAL Perforated 11½. 54 1c green, black surcharge 254 2c carmine " 255 5c blue 66 4 6 256 . . 7c chocolate" 257 " Ioc purple 258 " 15c orange 250 20c pink 66 " 260

October 12th, 1892,

Jubilee issue.

50c gray

Envelope of preceding issue surcharged in black by hand, with rectangle containing the portrait of Columbus surrounded by inscriptions and additional value.



Size 152x84 mm, 5x15c blue, black surcharge 402

# WRAPPER.

March 7th, 1887.

Stamp, of same type as adhesives of corresponding issue, lithographed on manila paper. Size 163x235 mm.

2c red 501

#### COUNTERFEITS.

Several good forgeries of the stamps of the first issue have been made, and in order that collectors may distinguish them from the genuine, we shall give below some points pertaining to the genuine.

There are eight horizontal lines of shading in the liberty cap; there are three colored dots in each figure "I," the central one being a trifle larger than the other two; the liberty cap does not touch the circle

The white dot opposite the o of dos in the corners never touches the o, and neither the d nor the s of dos touches the frame; there are five horizontal lines between the liberty cap and the frame above it; the period between dos and Republica is square, instead of round.

3 reales.

There are four horizontal lines between the liberty cap and the frame above, one touching the cap; the lower left and upper right circles containing the numeral "3" touch the lozenge; the horizontal lines to the love of the forming the background of the lozenge project in several places beyond the inner frame.











The above illustrations represent frauds of no value whatsoever,

The 5 and 10 reales of the 1879 issue are found surcharged in black "1c;" these, however, are of no value, the surcharge being a fraudulent one.

# PARMA.

Currency: 100 CENTESIMI-I LIRE-18 CENTS U. S. CURRENCY.

# ADHESIVE STAMPS.

June 1st, 1852.
Typographed on various papers; size 18x 22 1/2 mm.

Colored wove paper.
 5c black, yellow paper
 5c black, deep yellow paper

15c black, rose paper

25c black, violet paper 4 4c black, blue paper II. White wove paper.

6 roc black

January, 1854.

Same type as preceding issue typographed on white wove paper.

5c yellow

8 5c yellow orange

15c red

15c pale red

25c red brown

1857-1859.

Typographed on white wove paper; size 18x21 1/2 mm.



(March, 1859) 15c red

13 15c deep red

25c brown 25c red brown (July, 1857)

15 16 40c blue

(June, 1858)

17 40c deep blue Variety: Ribbed paper.

25c brown

July 25th, 1859

Provisional issue.

Stamps of the kingdom of Sardinia of the issue of 1856-58, used provisionally in the Duchy of Parma for about one month.



5c green 10c bistre

20

21 20c blue

40c red 22

23 80c orange
These stamps can be distinguished from those used in Sardinia only by their postmarks.

August, 1850.

Typographed on white wove paper; size, 18x21 mm.



5c green

5c yellow green 25

5c blue green 26

27 10c brown

28

10c pale brown 20c blue 29

20c pale blue 20c deep blue 30

31 40c red 32

40c pale red 33

40c red brown

8oc yellow

35 36 80c orange

Varieties:

a. CFNTESIMI, instead of CENTESIMI

5c green

28	5c yellow green	59 40c pale red
38 39	5c blue green	59 40c pale red 60 40c red brown
40	ioc brown	61 80c yellow
41	10c pale brown	62 80c orange
42	20c blue	c. o of 10 below the line.
43	20c pale blue	63 10c brown
44	20c deep blue	64 Ioc pale brown
	40c red	d. o of 20 below the line
45 46	40c pale red	65 20c blue
47	40c red brown	66 20c pale blue
48	8oc yellow	67 20c deep blue
49	8oc orange	e. T of Centesimi broken at right.
b.	STATI (with small A.)	68 20c blue
50	5c green	69 20c pale blue
51	5c yellow green	70 20c deep blue
52	5c blue green	71 40c red
53	10c brown	72 40c pale red
54	10c pale brown	73 40c red brown
55	20c blue	f. 1 of 10 inverted.
56	20c pale blue	74 Ioc brown
57	20c deep blue	75 10c pale brown
58	40c red	

## NEWSPAPER TAX STAMPS.\*

April, 1853.

Typographed in black on colored wove paper; size 18x21mm.



9c black, blue paper 76 Varieties.

a. STATI, with small A. 9c black, blue paper

b. CFNTESIMI, instead of CENTESIMI,

78 9c black, blue paper

c. T of CENTESIMI broken at right.

9c black, blue paper 79

d. Broken inverted E (I) instead of T, in CENTESIMI.

oc black, blue paper 80

November 1st, 1857.

Same type, impression etc., as preceding issue.

6c black, rose paper 81

Varieties :

a. STATI with small A.

6c black, rose paper

b. CFNTESIMI, instead of CENTESIMI.

83 6c black, rose paper

c. T of CENTESIMI broken at right.

6c black, rose paper d. Broken inverted E (3) instead of T, in CENTESIMI.

6c black, rose paper 85



This is merely a hand stamp and as such is not entitled to be catalogued.

## COUNTERFEITS.

As the forgeries of these stamps are numerous, we shall not attempt to describe them, but shall give some points belonging to each of the genuine ones by which it will be easy to distinguish them from the counter-

1852-1854 issue.

With the exception of the numerals of value, all the stamps of the first two issues are exactly alike. There are seven pearls at each side of the crown; there are three dots below the orb; three horizontal lines below the fleur-de-lis, the principal one touching the fleur-de-lis; two horizontal lines above the fleur-de-lis, the lower one touching it; six lines of dots at each side of the crown; the circle containing the fleur-de-lis touches the frame at both sides.

1857-1859 issue.

There are: 32 horizontal lines in the oval containing the fleur-de-lis; there are three horizontal lines above and three below the fleur-de-lis, the third at the top and the first at the bottom touching the fleur-de-lis. The A shaped ornament below the fleur-de-lis has two horizontal crossbars.

August, 1859, issue.

The distance between the lower part of the C and the I of CENTESIMI is exactly IO mm.; PARMENSI measures 13 mm.; the central line of the frame at the top and at the bottom is nearer to the outer line than to the inner one; the bridge of the M does not extend to the bottom of the letter, but is about 1/4 shorter than the sides.

<sup>\*</sup>These stamps, as well as the newspaper tax stamps of Austria, Lombardy-Venice, Hungary and Modena are not really postage stamps; they were placed on newspapers coming from foreign countries and represented a fiscal tax which was collected by the postal authorities.

# PERSIA.

Currency: 20 SHAHI = I KRAN = IOO CENTIMES = I FRANC = 19 CENTS U. S. CURRENCY.

#### ADHESIVE STAMPS.

т868.

Engraved on white wove paper. Size 181/2 X22 mm.

I. Printed in Paris, fine impression.



Perforated 121/2.

I 2sh green
The 1sh lilac, 4sh ultramarine and 8sh red of the same type and impression are essavs.

II. Printed in Persia, rough impression.

Imperforate.

1sh violet 2

2sh green 4sh blue 8sh vermilion red

8sh carmine red

Variety: Printed on both sides.

ish violet

1º Imperforate.

1875.

Same type as preceding issue but with Arabic figure of value under the lion; typographed on thick white wove paper, in horizontal strips of four stamps each, all differing from one another in the arabic figures of value. The stamps of the I kran value were printed from the same clichés as the I shahi stamps. stamps.



-	Importorator		
8	1sh black	4	varieties
9	2sh blue	4	"
IÓ	4sh vermilion red	4	.44
II	8sh green	4	4
12	Ikryellow	4	"
	ariety : Tête bêche.	Ů	
V			
13	8sh green		
20	Pin perforated.		
14	Ish black	4	varieties
15		4	4.6
			66
16		4	
17	8sh green	4	4.6
3°	Rouletted.		
18	Ish black	4	varieties
19	2sh blue	4	**
20		4	
21	8sh green	4	"
		•	
4°	Percé en scie.		
22	1sh black	4	varieties
23	2sh blue	4	**
24		4	66
25	8sh green	4	4.6

Reprints.

1885.

White wove paper.

Imperforate.

1sh black

27 2sh blue

28

4sh orange 4sh vermilion red 29

30 8sh green

1kr yellow 31

The reprints of each different value are printed from one die instead of four; the following dies were used to reprint from; die "d" of the 1 shahi to reprint the stamps of 1 shahi and 1 kran; die "a" of the 2 shahi, die "d" of the 4 shahi and die "c" of the 8 shahi to reprint respectively the stamps 2, 4, and 8 shahi shahi.

The reprints of the 1sh and 1kr stamps are

The reprints of the 1sh and 1kr stamps are readily told; the pearls of the circle are heavier, the borders of the circles containing the Persian numeral of value are wider and the figure "1" below the lion is a Roman instead of an Arabic "1."

The reprints of the 2 shahi have the outer line of the frame at the left and at the bottom broken and on some specimens entirely missing. The only distinguishing mark by which to tell the reprints of the 4 shahi stamps is the frame, the outer line of which is of the same thickness as the inner line, while on the originals the inner line is very thin and the outer line thick; the reprints are all of die "d," the principal feature of which is a break in in ornament in the lower part of the circle below the figure "4."

In the reprints of the 8 shahi stamps the small scroll nearest to the circles with Persian numerals at the bottom of the stamp touches the frame below it; the inner and outer lines of the frame are of equal thickness, while in the originals the outer line is much heavier than the inner one.

The above rules also apply to the reprints of

the inner one.

The above rules also apply to the reprints of the same values of subsequent issues; all re-prints are found cancelled to order.

Same type and impression as preceding issue but printed in blocks of four in two rows of two stamps each, all differing from one another as in the preceding issue; the I and 4 kran stamps were printed from the same chiches as the I and 4 shahi stamps.

I. Thin white wove paper.

I o	Imperforate.		
32	ish black	4	varieties
33	2sh blue	4	"
34	4sh vermilion red	4	**
35	4sh carmine red	4	**
36	Ikr carmine	4	4.6
37	4kr yellow	4	"
38	4kr yellow orange	4	"
20	Rouletted vertically	or	horizontally.
39	Ish black	4	varieties
	1 1 1		
40	2sh blue	4	"
40 41	2sh blue 4sh vermilion red	4	"
40 41 42		-	"
41 42	4sh vermilion red	4	"
41 42 43	4sh vermilion red 4sh carmine red 1kr carmine	4	"
41 42	4sh vermilion red 4sh carmine red	4 4 4	"

Varieties: a. Error of color. ıkr yellow 4 varieties b. Printed on both sides. 4 varieties 1sh black 48 4sh vermilion red 4 " 49 Ikr carmine 50 4kr yellow 4 II. Thin bluish white wove paper. 1º Imperforate. 4 varieties Ish black 52 2sh blue " 4sh vermilion red 4 53 4sh carmine red 4 " 1kr carmine 56 4kr yellow 4kr yellow orange 4 57 2º Rouletted vertically or horizontally. 58 1sh black 4 varieties 2sh blue 59 60 4sh vermilion red 4 4sh carmine red 4 6**1** 62 Ikr carmine 63 4kr yellow 64 4kr yellow orange 4 III. White laid paper. Imperforate. 4 varieties 65 66 Ikr carmine 4kr yellow 67 4kr yellow orange 4 Reprints. 1885. White wove paper. Imperforate. 1kr carmine 4kr yellow

The 1 and 4kr stamps, being printed respectively with one of the dies of the 1 and 4 shahi stamps of the 1875 issue, what we have said in regard to the reprints of the 1875 issue also applies to the reprints of this and subsequent issues.

August, 1876.

Portrait of the Shah, typographed in black with colored background on white wove paper. Size, 19x24 mm.





1º Perforated 13. 1sh black and lilac 2sh black and green 71 72 5sh black and rose Iosh black and blue 73 2º Perforated 12. 2sh black and green 74 5sh black and rose 10sh black and blue 3º Perforated 101/2. Ish black and lilac 78 5sh black and rose 79 10sh black and green 4º Perforated 12x101/2. Ish black and lilac 80 5sh black and rose 81 82 10sh black and green

End of 1876.

Provisional issue.

Same type as the 1875 issue, printed on grayish white wove paper in vertical strips of four stamps, all differing from one another.

Rouletted horizontally.

83 Ish black 4 varieties 84 2sh black 4 "

Variety : Tête bêche.

85 2sh black 2 varieties

Reprints.

White wove paper.
Imperforate.
86 2sh black

End of 1877.

Provisional issue.

10 shahi stamps of the issue of August 1876, divided horizontally in two and each half surcharged with new value in black-green.

I. Surcharged "5 Shahi."



Perforated.

5sh on half of 10sh black and blue, black-green surcharge, upper half
5sh on half of 10sh black and blue, black-green surcharge, lower half

II. Surcharged "5 Shahy."



Perforated.

5sh on half of 10sh black and blue, black-green surcharge, upper half 5sh on half of 10sh black and blue, black-green surcharge, lower half

black-green surcharge, lower half
Mr. Friedrich Schuller, in his work on the
stamps of Persia, claims that these stamps
were never issued officially but are a speculative issue created by Mr. Stahl, then postmaster of Persia.

February, 1878.

Same type as the 4 shahi stamps of the 1875 issue printed in horizontal strips of three stamps each; only the dies "a," "b" and "c" of the 4 shahi of the 1875 issue were used to print the 4 kran stamps of this issue.

Imperforate.
91 4kr blue 3 varieties
92 4kr gray blue 3 "

Reprints.
1885.

White wove paper.

Imperforate. 93 4kr blue

1878.

This issue consists of three values: I and 5 kran, and I toman; the first and last are printed from the clichés of the I shahi of the 1875 issue which have been retouched for the occasion, the distinctive feature being the border of the corner circles which is much wider in the retouch; the 5 kran stamps are printed from the clichés of the 8kr of the

1875 issue on which the Persian figures of value have been changed to "5;" all three values are printed in blocks of four in two horizontal rows of two stamps each.

I. White wove paper.

1kr carmine 4 varieties 94

5kr violet 95

96 5kr gold

II. Colored wove paper.

Ikr carmine, yellow paper 4 varieties Itom bronze, blue paper 4

Variety: Tête bêche.

99 ikr carmine, yellow paper

Reprints.

*1885*.

I. White wove paper.

100 1kr carmine

101 1kr rose

102 5kr deep violet

103 5kr pale violet

104 5kr gold

105 1tom gold

Perforated 131/2: 6 5kr violet 106

107 5kr gold

108 1tom gold

II. Colored wove paper.

1kr rose, yellow paper 109

1tom bronze, blue paper **1**10

110 tom bronze, yellow paper
The reprints of the 1 kran and 1 toman are
printed from die "c" of the 1 kran, and those
of the 5 kran from die "d" of the 5 kran.

January, 1879.

Same as 5 kran of preceding issue.

White wove paper.

2 5kr red bronze 4 varieties 112

5kr violet bronze 4 II3

Reprints.

113a 5kr red bronze.

February, 1879.

Same type, paper etc., as the issue of August 1876, with colored border around each stamp.



1º Perforated 12.

Ikr brown and black 114

5kr blue and black

2º Perforated 13.

116 Ikr brown and black

5kr blue and black 117

Varieties:

1º Imperforate.

5kr blue and black

2º Groundwork inverted.

119 5kr blue and black

Reprints.

1885.

120 1kr brown and black

120 1kr blue and black
These reprints, which are virtually counterfeits, were printed from the die of the 5 shahi envelope.

End of 1879.

Provisional issue.

5 shahi stamps cut from the envelopes and

used as adhesives. 5kr rose and black

January 1st, 1880.

Same type, impression etc., as preceding

1º Perforated 12.

Ish red and black 123

124 2sh yellow and black

5sh green and black 10sh violet and black

126

2º Perforated 13.

1sh red and black 127 128

2sh yellow and black

5sh green and black 10sh violet and black 120

130

## Varieties :

a. Imperforate.

Ish red and black 131

132 10sh violet and black

b. Imperforate vertically.

Ish red and black 133

2sh yellow and black 134

Reprints.

1885.

Perforated 12 and 121/2x13.

2sh yellow and black 2sh blue and black 135

136

137 5sh green and black

138 5sh red and black *139* 10sh violet and black

These reprints are also printed from the envelope die and are just as worthless as those of the preceding issue.

Lithographed on white wove paper; colored border around each stamp; the figures of value are on a solid ground. The value is expressed in centimes and francs. Size, 221/2 x261/2 mm.



1º Perforated 12.

140 5c purple

10c carmine 141

25c green 142

2º Perforated 13. 5c purple 143

144 roc carmine

145 25c green

January, 1882.

Engraved on white wove paper, colored border around each stamp; the figures of value are on a lined ground. Sizes: 5, 10 and 25c, 22x26 mm; 50c, I and 5fr, 21½x27½ mm; 10fr, 29x35½ mm.







1º Perforated 12.

5c purple.

147 10c carmine 148 25c green

149

50c buff and black, orange border 1 fr lilac blue and black, blue border 150

5fr red and black, red border 151 10fr buff and black 152

2º Perforated 13.

5c purple 153

Toc carmine 154 155 25c green

156

50c buff and black, orange border
Ifr lilac blue and black, blue border 157

5fr red and black, red border 158

10fr buff and black 159

End of 1882.

Similar to the 5 and 10c stamps of precedsimilar to the 5 and for stamps of preceding issue but the value expressed in shahi and the figures of value are on a white ground. Sizes: 5sh, 21½x26½ mm; 10sh, 22x27½ mm. There are two varieties of the 5 shahi stamps on the same sheet, on the first one the Persian inscription in the right bandrol ends or rather begins with three dots while the second variety has only two dots.



بيت الك محرور إبران

1º Perforated 12.

5sh green, type I 160 161

5sh green, type II 10sh buff and black, orange border 162

2º Perforated 13.

5sh green, type I 163

164

5sh green, type II
10sh buff and black, orange border 165

3º Perforated 12x13.

166 5sh green, type I

167 5sh green, type II

Same type and impression as the 50 centimes of the issue of January, 1882.

1º Perforated 12.

50c gray

2º Perforated 13.

169 50c gray

3º Perforated 121/2x12 or vice versa.

50c gray

4º Perforated 12x13.

171 50c gray

March, 1885.

Typographed on white wove paper; there are two different types for the stamps of this issue, one for the 1, 2 and 5 shahi stamps and another for the 10 shahi, 1 and 5 kran stamps. Sizes: first type, 17x22 mm; second type, 17x201/2 mm,





1º Perforated 12. 172 1sh green 173 2sh red 5sh slate 174 5sh blue 175 176 10sh bistre 1kr gray 5kr violet 177 178 2º Perforated 121/2. Ish green 179 2sh red 5sh slate 180 181 5sh blue 182 10sh bistre 183 1 kr gray 5kr violet 184 185 3º Perforated 13. 186 1sh green 2sh red 187 188 5sh slate 189 5sh blue 190 10sh bistre 1kr gray 5kr violet 191 4º Perforated 131/2. 1kr gray 193 5° Perforated 12x111/2. 1sh green 194 1sh green 195 196 2sh red 1kr gray

6º Perforated 12x121/2.

7º Perforated 12x13,

1sh green 2sh red 198

IQQ

1kr gray 200

8º Perforated 13x131/2.

201 5sh slate

1885.

Provisional issue.

5, 10 shahi and 5 francs stamps of the 1882 issue and 50 centimes stamps of the 1884 issue surcharged horizontally in black OFFICIEL and new value.

1º Perforated 12.

6sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-202 charge

203 6sh on 5sh green, type II, black surcharge

12sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 18sh on 10sh buff, black and orange, 204 205 black surcharge

206 Itom on 5fr red and black, black surcharge

2º Perforated 13.

6sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-207 charge

208 6sh on 5sh green, type II, black surcharge

12sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 18sh on 10sh buff, black and orange, 200 210

black surcharge Itom on 5fr red and black, black 211

surcharge

3º Perforated 12x13.

6sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-212 charge

6sh on 5sh green, type II, black sur-213 charge

12sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 4º Perforated 121/2x12.

12sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 215

5º Perforated 13x121/2.

216 6sh on 5sh green, type I, black surcharge

6sh on 5sh green, type II, black surcharge

### Varieties :

a. Errors of surcharge.

18sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-218 charge

18sh on 5sh green, type II, black sur-210 charge

b. Double surcharge.

6sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-220 charge

c. Surcharge inverted.

6sh on 5sh green, type II, black sur-221 charge

12sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 222 Itom on 5fr red and black, black surcharge

End of 1887.

Provisional issue.

5 and 10 shahi stamps of the 1882 issue and 50 centimes stamps of the 1884 issue surcharged horizontally in black OFFICIEL and new value.

## 1º Perforated 12.

3sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-224 charge

3sh on 5sh green, type II, black sur-225 charge

6sh on 10sh buff, black and orange, black surcharge 226

8sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 227

2º Perforated 13. 6sh on 10sh buff, black and orange, 228

black surcharge 8sh on 50c gray, black surcharge 3º Perforated 12x121/2.

8sh on 5oc gray, black surcharge 230 Varieties:

a. Surcharge inverted.

3sh on 5sh green, type I, black sur-

b. Double surcharge.

3sh on 5sh green, type II, black sur-232 charge

End of 1889.

Typographed on white wove paper, there are two types for the stamps of this issue, one for the 1, 2, 5, and 7 shahi stamps and the other for the 10 shahi, 1, 2 and 5 kran stamps. Size, 16x20½ mm.





'1º Perforated 11.

233 Ish rose 2sh blue 234 235 5sh lilac

236 7sh brown 2º Perforated 131/2.

5sh lilac 237 238 10sh black 1kr rose 239 2kr rose 240 5kr green 241

3º Perforated IIXI31/2.

7sh brown 242

November, 1891.

Typographed on white wove paper, the stamps of the shahi values are of one type and those of the kran values of another. Sizes, shahi stamps, 16½x20½ mm; kran values, 191/2 x231/2 mm.





1º Perforated 101/2.

Ish black 243 2sh brown 244 5sh blue 245 7sh gray 246 10sh rose 247 14sh orange 248 1kr green 249 2kr orange 250 5kr yellow 251 2º Perforated II1/2.

1sh black 252 2sh brown 253 5sh blue 254 255 7sh gray 256 10sh rose 14sh orange 257 258 Ikr green

2kr orange 259 260 5kr yellow

# November 1st, 1894.

Typographed on white wove paper; there are two types for this issue, one for the 1, 2, 5 and 8 shahi stamps and the other for the 10 and 16 shahi, 1, 2, 5 and 10 kran stamps; and 10 kran stamps; the kran values have a colored border around each stamp. Size, first type, 17x22½ mm., second type, 23½x29½ mm.



Perforated 121/2.

Ish violet 261

262 2sh green

5sh ultramarine 263

264 8sh brown



Perforated II 1/2 x II.

265 10sh orange

266 16sh rose

267

1kr red, yellow border 2kr yellow brown, blue border 268

5kr ultramarine, silver border 10kr rose, gold border 269

270

## UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.



As the printing of these stamps was never ordered by the Persian Postoffice authorities, they can at the best be considered as essays only.

OFFICIAL STAMPS.

Typographed on white wove paper; the Persian arms embossed in centre in white on colored ground. Size, 2014x243/4 mm.



Perforated 111/2. 1sh red, green centre 2sh green, red " 301 302

ENVELOPES.

5sh blue, orange centre 10sh violet, blue " 304 Iosh violet, blue
These stamps were never issued for use.



Stamp typographed in upper right corner on white wove paper.



I. Size, 145xIII mm.

402 6sh carmine

12sh violet 403

II. Size, 150x119 mm. 6sh carmine

405 12sh violet

These envelopes are virtually essays as they were never intended for use.

1887.

Same as preceding issue, but the stamp surcharged with Persian characters in black.



6 shahi

12 shahi

1877.

Stamp typographed in upper right corner in black with colored ground work on white wove paper.

TRESS.



TressH. Size, 155x85 mm.
5sh red and black White wove paper.

I. Size, 145x111 mm.

oo 6sh carmine, black surcharge

400 osn carmine, black surchar

Variety: Double surcharge.

408 6sh carmine, black surcharge
II. Size, 150x119 mm.

409 6sh carmine, black surcharge

410 12sh violet ""

# WRAPPERS.

1886. Stamp typographed to the right on manila paper.



Size, 320x56 mm.
501 Ish carmine
This was never intended for issue.

Same as preceding issue but the stamp surcharged with Persian characters.



Size, 320x56 mm.
502 1sh carmine, black surcharge.

November 1st, 1894. Stamp typographed to the right on manila paper.



Size (?) 503 Ish lilac

# COUNTERFEITS.

There are numerous forgeries of the stamps of the lion type, some of which are rather dangerous, however comparison of any doubtful specimen with the accompanying illustrations of the genuine, will readily show their true nature. The counterfeits of the head series are not very dangerous as they are lithographed instead of typographed, Vertical or horizontal halves of the 10 shahi, 50 centimes and 1 franc stamps of the 1882 issue surcharged with Persian characters in red or black are all frauds; the 50 centimes and 1 franc stamps of the same issue surcharged with a large "5" surrounded by rays are also frauds. Of the surcharges of the 1886-87 issues there is only one type for each value, all others being forgeries.

